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LONDON, Feb. 4.—The Red Army has surrounded ten German divisions in the area north of Kirovograd and another action at Stalingrad, on a smaller scale, threatens them.

Just as on the Volga, an unexpected offensive was launched by the Soviet forces on two fronts.

The result has been that the Nazis were caught in a pincers west of Cherkassy and found themselves completely encircled.

The Red Army, moving northwest of Kirovograd, then drove on westward from its encircled foes, leaving them completely hemmed in by troops from Byelaya-Tserkov, where the northern attack started.

Another defeat for the invaders is the loss of the important town of Rovno, in Poland.

That and Lutsk (Luck) have been abandoned by the Germans, partly because of attacks of guerrillas, partly to shorten the long drawn-out front from which some troops, apparently, have been withdrawn.

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According to The Times' Moscow correspondent, the operations of the northern Russian armies in the Narva sector are on a broad front.

The Luga River is now frozen after a period of exceptionally mild weather.

The Times' Stockholm representative says the German commentators are expressing belief that the northern campaign has turned out no worse and that no large Nazi forces were encircled in the Leningrad area.

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Editorially commenting on the Italian campaign, The Times says operations are undoubtedly slow.

The fighting for the Anzio bridgehead has so far been on a small scale, despite Nazi reports to the contrary.

Although stubborn attacks by the French Army have penetrated the Gustav Line, here again exploitation of the gain can not be rapid.

A junction of the two Allied forces will probably take time, because of the difficult country and conditions in which they are operating.

The Allies are pursuing ideal strategic methods, says The Times, but what is now required is the quick, imaginative use of air and sea power to obviate a long and costly campaign in the Italian mountains.

The Times special correspondent at Monte Cassino says there is little doubt the Nazis are now preparing a general withdrawal from the Gustav Line.

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Stressing how patient the British Government has been, despite General Franco's scandalous breaches of Spain's neutrality, The Times says cutting off the oil supplies should give less imprudent leaders in Madrid a chance to assert themselves.

Franco has now been called upon to take a decision which will be crucial for Spain if she is to end the debasing association with Germany.

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The chairman of the Copenhagen engineering firm called Christiani, instigated by Hitler's representative in Denmark, has been putting out feelers in Stockholm to the effect that Germany would withdraw her troops in Norway if Sweden would occupy Denmark and Norway and guarantee their non-participation in the war.

45,700 Tons of Coal Lost Weekly

LONDON, Feb. 4 (CP).—Labor disputes and transport difficulties cost Britain 45,700 tons of coal weekly during the four weeks ended January 22, the Ministry of Fuel and Power announced tonight.

With unrest in the coal fields resulting from establishment of national minimum wages, loss from flash strikes averaged 14,200 tons weekly, while the strain on railroads and the handicaps of blackout and epidemics slowed the movement and reduced the production average to 31,500 tons weekly.

HURT IN BUS CRASH

VANCOUVER, Feb 4 (CP).—Three men were injured tonight when the automobile in which they were riding collided with a Pacific Stages bus on Kingsway. No one in the bus was hurt. The three injured were G. R. Johnston, and two brothers, Art and Ray Boyle, all of New Westminster.

NOEL COWARD ON TOUR

PRETORIA, South Africa, Feb. 4 (CP-Reuter's).—Noel Coward, British actor, playwright, producer and composer, arrived here tonight. He will tour South Africa, entertaining wounded soldiers.

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Allied Forces Hold Off Enemy Assaults To South of Rome

Vicious Attacks Made by Germans

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN ITALY, Feb. 4 (AP).—British and United States veterans fighting side by side within sight of Rome's radio masts tonight were stubbornly holding off fierce attacks of German infantry and tanks against their two-week-old beachhead less than 20 miles south of the Eternal City.

A dispatch sent at 5:05 o'clock this afternoon from the battle scene by Associated Press War Correspondent Daniel de Luce said the Allied troops "in staunchly defended foxholes" were "holding off the growing storm of the German counter-offensive" aided by heavy artillery support.

Farther south a battlefield dispatch said United States troops had gained a "good toehold" on Cassino, anchor of the Germans' cross-Italy southern line, and that American troops were in buildings in the town and controlled some streets.

With air forces grounded by bad weather, artillery of both sides was belching forth thousands of shells in a ceaseless cannonading and infantry troops were locked in hand-to-hand fighting as the Allied troops checked the heavy counter-offensive of the Germans against the Anzio beachhead.

So confused was the fighting at the beachhead last night and today that 100 British Tommies encircled and captured by the Germans were freed later by another group of British soldiers and their German captors made prisoners by the Tommies.

Allied headquarters announced that the first four smashes by the Nazis had been repulsed with heavy losses and that Allied troops improved their positions somewhat west of German-held Cisterna on the Appian Way 24 miles southeast of Rome.

The German communique claimed that "major enemy forces" had been encircled within the beachhead and that Allied "relief attacks" were repulsed.

Droves of tanks, including 60-ton Tigers, led the hard German thrusts, with Nazi planes frequently sweeping in ahead of them to bomb and strafe the dug-in Britons and Americans. Both sides were using tanks as attack units and as mobile artillery. A field dispatch said the battle for Cisterna would "be remembered as one of the bloodiest and most fiercely contested of the whole war."

De Luce described the mounting battle as a "furious effort to wipe out the entire Allied foothold around

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Destroy 80 Jap Planes at Wewak

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Feb. 5 (Saturday) (AP).—Eighty Japanese planes were destroyed by Allied airmen in a heavy raid on the Japanese base at Wewak, New Guinea, headquarters announced today.

Apparently the Japanese air force was caught by surprise. Seventy-two enemy planes were caught grounded and destroyed. Eight were shot down.

Wewak is the major air and supply base for the entire Japanese defences in the Northeastern New Guinea sector. It was last reported hit January 23 when Allied airmen knocked down and destroyed from 33 to 45 Japanese planes.

A total of 200 tons of bombs was poured into the Wewak defences—the heaviest raid on that reinforced base since the Pacific war began.

On the ground, Australian forces driving toward Madang, southeast of Wewak, have advanced along the coast and up the Ramu Valley.

Troops Storm Ashore in Marshalls

This picture, taken during an air attack on the Marshall Islands, shows Roi Island (top), site of the best airfield in the Marshalls, where U.S. troops have stormed ashore and established a beachhead. Roi is connected by a narrow strip of coral beach to Namur (below). When this picture was taken, the Jap hangar at Roi was in flames. Another beachhead was established at Kwajalein, which has an excellent harbor.

Condemn 500,000 Pounds of Meat

QUEBEC, Feb. 4 (CP).—More than 500,000 pounds of meat stored in a Federal Government downtown warehouse, today were declared by Federal, provincial and municipal inspectors to be unfit for consumption. The meat was stored by a meat firm and about 20 Quebec butchers.

No seizure was made but inspectors ordered that "not a single piece" of the meat be sold.

Asked whether all of the meat will be destroyed, Dr. Berchmans Paquet, director of the city health department, said he had no statement to make, but it was reported unofficially that most of the 500,000 pounds in storage will have to be destroyed.

Reported Holding Daughter Prisoner

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP).—Alleged to be holding her daughter prisoner so she could not marry, Mrs. Irene Popella today was directed by Chief Justice Wendell Farris to appear in Supreme Court tomorrow morning with Phyllis Popella, 21.

H. R. Bray said he had been retained by Paul Pidmurney, a farmer, who became engaged to Miss Popella January 3. Bray said when he visited Mrs. Popella's apartment yesterday she refused him permission to see the daughter, told him she opposed the engagement and intended to keep the young woman locked up.

"We are hardly back in the Dark Ages yet," the Chief Justice said as he made the order.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4 (AP).—Representatives of 2,000 foundry workers employed in 25 plants in the Chicago area voted tonight to stay off the job Monday in protest of denial of a six-cent-an-hour wage increase by the Regional War Labor Board. William Lorenz, district representative of the Moulders and Foundry Workers' Union (A.F.L.), said 3,000 other foundrymen were expected to join the walkout within a week.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Feb. 4 (AP).—Nylon stockings are selling in a local department store for $500 a pair—in War Bonds.

R.A.F. Bombers on Raid Over Channel

Eight Flee Jail In Bold Escape

BUFFALO, N.Y., Feb. 4 (AP).—Eight Erie County jail prisoners, including Joseph V. Augello, 20, of Buffalo, and Bernard Berman, 22, of New York City, who are under indictment for first degree murder, engineered their escape tonight with the aid of a trusty who was cleaning the cell block, Sheriff Arthur D. Britt said.

Britt said the trusty, whom he did not identify, pushed Arthur Wofford, 50, a negro guard, against the cell bars. While the prisoners choked Wofford, the trusty knocked him out with a broom handle and took his keys, Britt said. The trusty released eight prisoners. Three others did not join in the break.

The eight, who wore street clothes but no overcoats, gagged and tied another guard, William Stephen, 60, and threw him into a solitary confinement cell. They obtained keys to the front door from Margaret Haas, a charwoman, whom they overpowered, the sheriff added.

Britt said it was the first break in the history of the jail.

20,000 Remain Out on Strike

DETROIT, Feb. 4 (AP).—A strike of an estimated 20,000 Michigan and Ohio war workers continued tonight in the face of condemnation from spokesmen for the armed forces and Government agencies.

Meantime the striking union's leader—Matthew Smith, national secretary of the Mechanics' Educational Society of America—defied threat by the War Labor Board to invoke sanctions and penalties against the union.

The strike was called to protest a Government agency's handling of a jurisdictional dispute. Smith telegraphed heads of the factories affected that "we have no dispute with your management."

Smith described the union's action as "a fight for an organization's right to survive in the face of the Administration's support of the C.I.O. and the consequent almost prohibition of independent unionism by the National Labor Relations Board and the National War Labor Board."

Victoria Flyer Downs Nazi Plane

LONDON, Feb. 4 (AP).—R.A.F. heavy bombers, idle since Sunday night's R.A.F.-R.C.A.F. blow at Berlin, crossed the moonlit Dover Straits tonight in two waves after United States heavy bombers in a daylight raid attacked the important German industrial and communication centre of Frankfurt and other targets in Western Germany.

The daylight raid, sixth American major attack in seven days, cost 21 bombers and one fighter.

The bombers were escorted by United States long-range fighters and supported by R.A.F., Dominion and Allied Spitfires and Typhoons, an army headquarters' communique announced tonight.

While only weak German fighter defences were encountered, returning crews reported that the Nazis had sent up a heavy curtain of anti-aircraft fire over the area.

Gunners on the bombers shot down four German planes, while the escorting fighters accounted for eight more for a total enemy loss of 12 planes, the bulletin said.

In other operations during the day hundreds of lighter Allied aircraft crossed the Channel to continue the pounding of military targets in Northern France. These operations followed an attack on Western Germany by R.A.F. Mosquitos Thursday night.

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Maintenance Men Demand Decision

WINNIPEG, Feb. 4 (CP).—The National War Labor Board today was asked for an "immediate decision" on demands of the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees for "substantial and retroactive increases in pay."

W. Aspinall, of Winnipeg, vice-president of the railmen's organization, in a letter to the board, said a serious situation may develop "if increases are not soon awarded."

He said the workers had urged a suspension of work, but that such action had been discouraged by the brotherhood representatives.

The Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor and the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, represents some 25,000 workers.

Soviets Wreck 84 German Transport Planes and 58 Tanks Attempting Rescue

$3,000,000 Contract to Yarrows for Transports

Two Ships for British Navy

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supply, announced tonight awarding of a contract to Yarrows shipbuilding company at Esquimalt for construction of two transport ships.

"The cost of the two transport ships to be built at Yarrows is approximately $3,000,000," Mr. Howe said. "They are for the British Navy who will decide where they are going to be used. We are building, or about to start to build, a few other transport ships in Eastern shipyards.

"So far as Yarrows are concerned, we may have some further contracts to give them later, but at the moment I cannot say for certain."

Japanese Claim Marshall Victory

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP).—The Tokio radio, quoting an Imperial Headquarters communique, claimed tonight that Japanese forces on Kwajalein and Roi Islands in the Marshalls were battling the "remaining" United States invasion forces, "with control of the situation having been assured."

The broadcast quoted the communique as saying that "Up to February 1" Japanese naval flyers and defending troops had sunk two destroyers, set afire a cruiser and another destroyer, and shot down 52 planes and damaged 24.

United States correspondents at the scene of operations reported tonight that no American warship had been lost and that the invasion was still unopposed by either Japanese planes or fleet units.

U.S. Forces Invade Three More Islands

Still Have Upper Hand Over Japanese

PEARL HARBOR, Feb. 4 (AP).—American invasion forces have swarmed on three more islands in strategic Kwajalein Atoll of the Marshalls and brought two others under naval and air assault while still unchallenged either by the Japanese navy or air force, it was announced tonight.

In the latest reported moves, half of an important seaplane base was occupied in the face of resistance. Moderate opposition was overcome on two other islands.

Troops of the seventh Army Division landed on Ebeye Island north of Kwajalein Island and soon forced the Nipponese back from half of it.

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, commander-in-chief of the United States Pacific Fleet, reported in a communique that the new landing was unopposed but resistance was encountered a short distance from the beach.

Nimitz also reported:

Two small islands between Kwajalein and Ebeye have been occupied following the neutralizing of moderate opposition.

Gugegwe and Loi Islands just north of Ebeye are being subjected to bombing and naval gunfire. The enemy is answering American fire.

Resistance on Kwajalein Islands, at the south end of Kwajalein Atoll, continues but progress is being made.

United States casualties continue moderate.

The announcement came after fleet headquarters disclosed Nimitz had issued a proclamation to the people of the Marshalls establishing a military government and "suspending the powers of the Emperor of Japan in the occupied areas."

Gugegwe forms the southern flank to one of the main channels into Kwajalein Lagoon.

See Soviet Submarines

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 4 (AP).—Two Russian submarines have been sighted in the Baltic Sea southeast of Norrkoeping, Sweden, where Russian submarines were active in 1942, the Sydsvenska Dagbladet of Malmoe said today. This area is off the Swedish east coast.

Since the Russian drive along the Finnish Gulf began, the Swedish press has been speculating on the chances of the Red Fleet breaking into the Baltic to harass Axis shipping.

Argentina Has Broken With Axis Satellites

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 4 (AP).—The Argentine Government announced tonight it had broken off diplomatic relations with Vichy France, Bulgaria, Rumania and Hungary—all Axis satellites—following up its rupture with Germany and Japan last month.

The Government of President Pedro Ramirez broke relations with Germany and Japan January 26—the last of 21 American republics to do so.

Argentina's action, Ramirez said at that time, was taken because its sovereignty had been jeopardized by Axis espionage activity in the country.

The Foreign Office also announced today that it would make a statement within a few days regarding Japanese espionage activities in Argentina.

Will Strike at Britannia Beach

BRITANNIA BEACH, Feb. 4 (CP).—Jack Balderson, president of the local here of the United Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers' Union, said the union at a meeting tonight decided that 200 workers at the Britannia Mining & Smelting Co. plant here will begin a strike tomorrow in protest against the "unfair" dismissal of a worker.

Balderson said that Alex Anderson was dismissed for leaving work early and the company refused to reinstate him. The union president said the company's action was "drastic and unfair."

Company officials had no comment immediately.

Lots of Meat Now

TORONTO, Feb. 4 (CP).—J. S. McLean, president of Canada Packers, Limited, said today that within the past few weeks the meat supply situation in Canada has swung from a position of acute scarcity to surplus and "we can all make up our minds that the period of scarcity is over" for the duration of the war.

"Every foot of freezer space in Canada is full," Mr. McLean told the annual meeting of the Ontario Cattle Breeders' Association.

Trap Closing on Doomed Troops

LONDON, Feb. 4 (AP).—The Red Army, squeezing tighter its steel cordon around ten trapped Nazi divisions in the Ukraine, has killed 2,800 more Germans fighting to escape and has pounded back German rescue attempts from the outside, wrecking 84 big Junkers transport planes and 58 Nazi tanks, Moscow announced tonight.

In the North Soviet troops have cleared the 110-mile coast of the Gulf of Finland from Leningrad west to the Narova River mouth inside Estonia. Other forces wiped out the last Germans on the railway from Leningrad to Novgorod, the second north-south line freed since the battle of the North began. Another 2,700 Germans were killed in this fighting, said the Moscow midnight communique recorded by the Soviet radio monitor.

The stiffest fighting on the flaming Russian front, however, centred on the contracting circle, now perhaps 40 miles in diameter, on the west bank of the Dnieper River between Kanev and Cherkassy, where perhaps 100,000 Germans are facing death or surrender.

"The Germans attempt by counter-attack to feel out weak places and break out of encirclement," the communique said. "Our troops repulsed all Hitlerite counter-attacks and inflicted heavy losses on them in manpower and material."

RELIEF ATTEMPT SMASHED BACK

The Germans outside the circle in one action attempted to send a tank column through Russian lines to their comrades today, but Russian artillery and tank destroyers sent them reeling back with a loss of 32 tanks.

"Our air force is blockading from the air enemy airdromes and landing grounds in the area of encircled German troops," the communique said.

A total of 84 Junkers-52 transports were destroyed by armored Soviet Stormovik dive bombers and

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Highlights of World News . . .

By Canadian Press

ITALY — British-American forces hold off German attacks on beachhead area 20 miles south of Rome; United States troops gain "good toehold" on Cassino.

RUSSIA—Russians tighten trap around ten Nazi divisions in Ukraine, wreck 84 Junkers transport planes; Northern Soviet forces clear Gulf of Finland coast from Leningrad to Narova River mouth.

PACIFIC—Allied airmen destroy 80 Japanese planes in raid on Wewak, New Guinea; Australians advance in New Guinea; United States warships at anchor in lagoon of Kwajalein Atoll in Marshalls; Nimitz establishes military government in occupied areas of Marshalls.

AERIAL—United States heavy bombers pound Frankfurt; Allied planes raid Northern France.

BRITAIN — Government candidate wins Brighton by-election; National Government leaders appeal for support against Independent candidates.

BALKANS — Germans reported massing great force for new offensive against Yugoslav Partisans.

Cost of Living Index Fraction Off

OTTAWA, Feb. 4 (CP).—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today the official cost-of-living index declined from 119.3 at December 1 to 119.0 at January 3, making the total wartime increase 18.1 per cent.

The index was at 117.1 on the corresponding date last year.

"Group indexes for foods and home furnishings and services were lower than in the previous month while those for fuel and lighting and miscellaneous items advanced," the bureau said.

"The food index fell from 132.7 for December to 131.5 for January as sharp declines in egg prices outweighed scattered increases for butter, meats and fresh vegetables. The home furnishings and services index dropped from 118.8 to 118.4, due to a decrease in the furniture section.

"Higher coal prices advanced the fuel and lighting index from 111.9 to 112.7, while increases in health costs raised the miscellaneous index from 108.6 to 108.9. Other groups remained unchanged, rents at 111.9 and clothing at 121.1."

Under the Government's recent wage control order, the cost-of living bonus paid to Canadian workers, based on the cost-of-living index, merges with basic wage rates effective in the first payroll period on or after February 15.

When the merging was announced, the Government said it would not consider a revision of the new policy until there was a 3 per cent change in the index.

More Tomato Juice

OTTAWA, Feb. 4 (CP).—The Prices Board said tonight that a larger proportion of canned tomato juice will be available to consumers this month and during March. Between February 1 and March 31 inclusive, wholesalers may at any time increase their allocation of tomato juice by 10 per cent. Originally this allocation was set at 30 per cent. It now may be increased to 40 per cent during the period mentioned.

Tells House Women With Children Should Ignore Call to Industry

Instead of answering the call to war industry, women with children under 16 years of age should keep to their homes and raise their families, Mrs. Tilly J. Rosien (Conservative - Coalition, Point Grey) stated during Throne Speech debate in the Legislative Assembly yesterday afternoon. L. A. Shepherd (C.C.F., Delta) advocated action to scrap daylight saving and return to normal time because he claimed the measure was of no value to farmers or industry.

In her opening remarks Mrs. Rolston quoted Mr. Churchill: "We must beware of trying to build a society in which nobody counts for anything except a politician or an official, a society where enterprise gains no reward and thrift no privilege." She recalled Harold E. Winch, C.C.F. Leader of the Opposition, had claimed members on the other side of the House were saying C.C.F. policy would result in regimentation and dictatorship, and that they had been attacked with a distortion and falsification of the facts.

If the state controlled everything, there would be a race of puppets who, looking to the state for everything, would naturally move en masse when ordered to do so.

She was glad Mr. Winch commended the Government for the improvement in various social security benefits, but she disagreed with him when he said objectives had not been outlined, nor had facts and necessities of the day been faced. Both the people and Government of British Columbia had done their share in purchasing Victory Bonds, and the rehabilitation committee was facing the facts in endeavoring to provide full employment after the war.

"Housing accommodation in rural districts had never received adequate attention, and the highly

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Graydon and Coldwell Ask Statement on McNaughton

OTTAWA, Feb. 4 (CP).—Two Opposition-party leaders in the Commons today urged Prime Minister Mackenzie King to make an immediate statement on the resignation of Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton as Canadian Army Commander overseas, but the Government will say nothing until next week at the earliest.

Gordon Graydon, Progressive Conservative House leader, said many rumors were in circulation about Gen. McNaughton's resignation and the full facts should be stated.

Mr. King replied that the most appropriate time for a reply to a question on army affairs would be when Defence Minister Ralston speaks on the War Appropriation Bill, the first item after the Throne Speech debate ends.

Mr. Graydon said he was "amazed" at the position taken by the Prime Minister. The Government had said Gen. McNaughton left the overseas army command because of ill-health, but the general had been quoted yesterday in the press as saying he was all right. The Government should explain immediately.

Speaker J. A. Glen said a debate could not take place on orders of the day, but M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, said he supported Mr. Graydon in asking an immediate statement.

Mr. King replied he did not think Mr. Graydon's statements wholly correct, but they indicated there were many matters on which the House wished information. The Government would be prepared to consider having a day set aside for full discussion.

Mr. Diefenbaker said Gen. McNaughton, as "the architect of Canadian Army efficiency," should be allowed to appear before the House in secret session "and let us know whether or not the ideas that are too frequently being bandied about in the Dominion today have any foundation in fact or in substance."

The Saskatchewan member said he believed there should be closer co-operation with other parts of the

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Coldwell Sees More Owners Of Property Under C.C.F.

TORONTO, Feb. 4 (CP).—M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, said in an address tonight the C.C.F. believes its programme will enable more people to own more property and, rather than restricting individual initiative, will free them "from the regimentation of poverty or want."

In an address prepared for delivery to the Workers' Educational Association of Canada, Mr. Coldwell said farmers and labor are being "exploited by powerful organizations and speculative interests."

Through the consolidation of packing interests, the farmer is at the mercy of the dominant packing company, Canada Packers, Ltd., Mr. Coldwell said. This company had 200,000 shares of stock with a stated value of $1,438,284 or $7.19 a share. On this share capital, it paid dividends of $3 a share annually—a rate of more than 41 per cent—from 1935 to 1939, $4 during 1939 and 1940 and $3.50 in 1941.

"By the end of 1940, Canada Packers had a total surplus account of $8,106,942 on a total capital stock of $1,438,284," said Mr. Mitchell.

"I am doing what I think should be done: to relate the profits to the capital stock and not to the total assets of the company which have been built up out of the accumulated earnings of the organization, and which, therefore, came also out of the producing and consuming public of Canada."

Ogilvie Flour Mills was rapidly becoming the dominant milling organization in the milling industry.

"Incidentally, Maurice Wilson, the president of the Royal Bank, is a director of this corporation and he, as you probably know, among others is one of the men behind Gladstone Murray in the vicious campaign which has been launched against the C.C.F.," Mr. Coldwell said.

International Harvester Company was dominant in the farm implements field, and "no wonder that we in Western Canada are endeavoring to organize a farm implements co-operative."

"We demand that Government-owned plants suitable for the manufacture of farm machinery shall be made available to a farm implements co-operative and suitable credits provided through our national banking system," said Mr. Coldwell.

The C.C.F. programme to ensure a prosperous agriculture industry would include proper credit facilities; parity prices for farm products; building and encouragement of co-operatives, and public or co-operative ownership and operation of all "monopolistic packing and processing industries."

National marketing boards with proper producer and consumer representation to market agricultural produce were needed.

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L. J. Belnap Visiting Here

La Monte J. Belnap, president of the Consolidated Paper Corporation, Montreal, and a director of the Bank of Montreal, is holidaying at the Empress Hotel. He is accompanied by Mrs. Belnap.

Widely known throughout Canada, Mr. Belnap is one of the most prominent business men of the East. Besides ruling the destinies of the Consolidated Paper Co., he presides over the St. Maurice Valley Paper Co. and the Anticostic Shipping Co., Ltd.

He is also a director of several large firms, including the Dominion Engineering Co. and is executive chairman of the Worthington Pump & Machinery Corporation, New York.

An enthusiastic golfer and fisherman, Mr. Belnap said yesterday his trip was purely relaxation and declined to discuss business.

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unsatisfactory situation was growing progressively worse. Unwholesome slum conditions and blighted areas existed in towns and cities, and everywhere a high percentage of dwellings needed substantial repairs. Government members should ask themselves: What is the housing need in British Columbia; In what ways was good housing a civic asset? And how could the need be met?

Mrs. Rolston forecast great development of the northern portion of the province through construction of a Peace River district road outlet, and use of the Alaska Highway after the war. History of Southern British Columbia had been largely the history of repeated and expensive efforts by the Government to clean up the economic and social messes left by trial and error development of the country, and that should not be repeated in the North.

She said there must be higher salaries for teachers, because the best value was not always obtained by buying the cheapest. She also looked for an equalization of opportunity for both rural and urban school students.

She thought the conflict of authority between the Dominion and provinces represented a grave obstruction in the path of Canadian progress, and it would become increasingly grave when the new era of the future demanded expansion, sweeping social reforms, a bold policy of development, with the immigration of many people and influx of billions of capital.

ASSERTS PROVINCES LIKE SOVEREIGNTIES

"We cannot do everything nine times over. Our provinces have within the last generation been visibly turning into something like nine sovereignties, or at least nine separate autonomies," Mrs. Rolston declared.

She was aware anything like denunciation of provincial power was an unpopular doctrine. The province was, in the immediate sense, nearer to the hearts of the people than the larger but more abstract conception of the Dominion and the still wider orbit of Commonwealth. The whole setting and background of Canadian provinces seemed to indicate them as the proper form of natural life, separate groups of people each doing things in their own way and letting others do the same.

She questioned the advisability of luring too many married women with small families into industry, and felt a woman who worked to supplement her husband's income was setting up financial habits she would find increasingly hard to change. She charged the absentee-mother problem had produced the most critical juvenile delinquency situation in the history of Canada, and the situation became more acute every day as more and more mothers swapped their aprons for overalls. The job of every mother, in war and in peace, was to care for her children. The home, whose only guardian in wartime might be the mother, was the very foundation of the Canadian way of life.

PAYS TRIBUTE TO PATRIOTIC FARMERS

Mr. Shepherd paid tribute to men and women of the farms who in the face of shortages of equipment and help had produced "more food than ever before," and were ready to increase production again. Their returns were better than in years, but they were concerned now over the possibility of an early collapse of prices.

Mr. Shepherd urged provision for increased marketing control to deal with surpluses.

A "reasonably good job" had been done by the Government's Emergency Farm Labor Service last year.

He described the introduction of flex growing in the Fraser Valley as one of the outstanding developments in British Columbia agriculture in years. Construction of the flax plant for which the Government loaned $85,000, was moving toward completion, and "the plant is a good one," he stated.

Mr. Shepherd contended daylight saving should be repealed "as soon as possible." He doubted if it saved any daylight for anyone. It was no help to farmers, and no help to war industries working three shifts.

The member for Delta asked when tolls on the Pattullo Bridge would be removed. He pointed to an anomaly under which farmers owning trucks passed over it free, but farmers using horse and wagon paid 25 cents each way, plus freight. Use of horse and wagon was increasing with shortage of trucks and gas. Many private cars had paid already as much as $200 in tolls, and trucks more than $700.

At a disadvantage in being unsure exactly what was meant in the Throne Speech regarding removal of education costs from the land, Mr. Shepherd urged immediate action. He felt there was no need of a survey; the Government had the needed facts.

He commended the announced intention to build a highway outlet for the Peace River. It was a district of immense possibilities. Value of livestock shipments had increased from $89,000 in 1939 to $629,850 in 1942. Mr. Shepherd felt the Government should give the lead for establishment of a packing and processing plant in the Peace.

BASIC REQUIREMENTS OF SETTLEMENT PLAN

Stating that the Province should retain some control over the million acres provided for settlement of returned men, he suggested any land settlement scheme should include four basic requirements—that a satisfactory market should be assured; that it should be only part of an overall plan for development of British Columbia agriculture; that inexperienced men should be trained in the district in which they intended to farm; and that many amenities, such as electricity, telephones, churches, schools and community halls, should be made available.

He endorsed the suggestions of a Vancouver women's organization that free land should be provided for returned men and that machinery should be set up for co-operative ownership of farm equipment.

Provision should be made for returned men to take over producing farms, but the maximum of $6,000 permitted a veteran was not sufficient.

The farmer realized, Mr. Shepherd declared, that his welfare depended upon the welfare of other sections. The present good position of farmers was largely due to full employment, for there was a tremendous demand for food when the people were fully employed.

Mr. Shepherd declared there was still insufficient production of food to feed the world as would be possible with proper distribution.

Squadron Leader E. V. Finland (Conservative-Coalition, Esquimalt) was Speaker during the sitting. Prayers were led by Major R. McCaughey, Salvation Army. Premier John Hart adjourned debate, and will speak at 3 o'clock next Monday afternoon.

M. M. Connelly (Liberal-Coalition, Omineca) and H. W. Herridge (C.C.F., Rossland-Trail) will also speak.

Report Victorians In Shanghai Well

Word that Mark King, former Shanghai policeman and his wife, now imprisoned in Japanese prison camps are well, has been received by Mrs. Elizabeth King, 128 Montreal Street, the former's mother.

The information was contained in a letter from the Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, who has secured information about Canadian and British prisoners still remaining in Japanese hands from the Gripsholm repatriates.

The letter reads: "Mr. King is interned at Haiphong Camp. He is in good health and is the best entertainer in camp. His hobbies are Chinese and sports. He plays softball very well for a beginner. Mrs. King, interned in Ash Camp, works in the representatives office. She is well." Both camps are at Shanghai, where Mr. King once belonged to the city's municipal police.

Civil Defence

Sector C, James Bay District 8—A.R.P. wardens will meet at Carter's residence, 414 Quebec Street, Tuesday, February 8, at 8 p.m. for first-aid review.

Saanich Special Police will meet Monday, February 7, at Royal Oak Institute Hall at 8 p.m. for business meeting and drill.

Victoria District No. 11—Personnel will meet on Tuesday, February 8, at 8 p.m. at the Margaret Jenkins School. Stirrup pump practice as used in Britain will be explained and first-aid certificates will be awarded.

Production of wheat for 1944 in Australia is estimated at 97,000,000 bushels.

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Italian Front

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Anzio." De Luce said the Nazis had control of all the dominant high ground around the bridgehead and retained full use of the Appian Way for movement of troops and supplies to the front.

NAZI SUICIDE SQUADS HOLD THEIR POSITIONS

On the main Fifth Army front, 50 miles from the conflict for the bridgehead, Nazi "suicide squads," entrenched in steel and concrete pillboxes inside the shattered town of Cassino, still defied every effort to dislodge them.

Using bayonets and hand grenades, American infantry fought from house to house at the edge of the almost encircled town, and tanks pushed their steel snouts from street to street.

Troops fighting through the hills north of Cassino, seeking to close a trap on the Nazi garrison inside the stronghold, felt the brunt of these counter-blows. The enemy apparently had brought up reinforcements and thrown them against this threat in an effort to keep the Rome highway open. Two such counter-attacks were thrown back Thursday.

There was vigorous patrolling on the Adriatic end of the line, and British troops of the Eighth Army occupied Torricella, south of Orsogna and 20 miles inland. The Allied line there now runs almost straight south from Casoli to Sant' Angelo.

Field Marshal Erwin Rommel, the master of retreat, was reported here to have been sent by Hitler to save the situation in Italy. Whatever Nazi leader is in charge, the enemy's obvious determination now is to hold the Cassino front at all costs until Allied forces in the Anzio beachhead can be hurled back into the sea. One hundred forty Nazi prisoners were taken yesterday and many were killed.

De Luce, writing from the bridgehead, said: "The payoff on this campaign will be whether the Allies capture Rome. The chance was taken and the divisions were risked. There's no rosy optimism among the Allied forces of the Anzio beachhead. There's a solid conviction, however, that the Germans will ultimately be forced into another 'advance to the rear.'"

Despite adverse weather, heavy bombers hit the railroad town of Stimigliano, 25 miles north of Rome, while dive-bombers strafed Nazi transport on all the main and the secondary roads from the lower Fifth Army front to Rome, destroying 41 vehicles and damaging at least 58. Four German planes were destroyed and two Allied craft were missing.

Government Wins Brighton Election

LONDON, Feb. 4 (CP).—The Government today won the by-election for the House of Commons seat of Brighton vacated by the retirement of Sir Cooper Rawson, by a narrow margin in a light vote.

Flt. Lt. William Telling, National Government candidate who received support from Prime Minister Churchill, defeated Bruce Briant, Independent, by a vote of 14,594 to 13,686. The vote was in sharp contrast to that of the last election, in 1935, when Maj. (now Lord) Tryon polled 60,913 votes and his fellow Conservative, Sir Cooper Rawson, 60,734 against 19,287 and 18,743 for two Labor opponents in the two-man constituency.

The Fighting Forces

Two Listed "Wounded"

Listed as wounded while serving with a British Columbia regiment, in a recent army casualty list are: Pte. Henry Butler Greenhough, whose mother, Mrs. Gladys Renie Greenhough, lives on North Galiano Island, and Pte. William Irvine, whose mother, Mrs. Jessie Irvine, lives at Cumberland.

Victorian Gets Junkers

F/O. John Francis (Frank) Cadman, R.C.A.F., who recently shot down a Junkers 88, according to London dispatches, is the elder son of Mrs. G. Severs, 1304 Topaz Avenue. Enlisting in June, 1942, he trained as a navigator, was commissioned and went overseas last April. He was promoted flying officer last August.

Before enlistment he was employed by the Royal Bank of Canada here.

A half-brother, Harold Severs, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Severs, is serving as a radio officer in a merchant ship of British registry.

Pilot Commissioned

P/O. Donald George Collis, R.C.A.F., is spending leave until next Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Collis, 155 South Turner Street, having recently graduated as a pilot at Brandon. He was commissioned on graduating.

Born here 20 years ago and educated at Beacon Hill, South Park and Victoria High Schools, he enlisted in August, 1942. He is to go to a Quebec station for officer training.

Air Officer Killed

P/O. Edward Davis, R.C.A.F., was killed on active service on January 30, according to word received this week by his wife, Mrs. June Davis, 1036 Craigdarroch Road. Educated here, he was attending Victoria College before enlisting in the Summer of 1942. He had been overseas since September.

Besides his wife and a four-month-old son, Edward John, he leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Davis, 910 McClure Street, and a sister, Mrs. J. A. Irving, whose husband is a University of British Columbia professor.

Air Gunner Missing

W/O. John Robert Charlton, R.C.A.F., wireless-air gunner, is missing after air operations over Europe, January 31, his mother-in-law, Mrs. Frank Hazlehurst, 2718 Rock Bay Avenue, was informed yesterday. He has been overseas a year.

His wife, the former Winnifred Hazlehurst, left last September, hoping to join him in England, but has been unable to secure passage from Halifax.

RETURNS TO CONVOY DUTY

Petty Officer (Stoker) Murray H. Minkler, R.C.N., has returned to Atlantic convoy duty after furlough spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Minkler, 2363 Pacific Street. His four years' naval service include a period in the Mediterranean.

GRADUATE AS PILOTS

Island men graduating recently as sergeant-pilots at Dauphin or Brandon, Man., were K. C. Boyd, Shawnigan Lake, and W. E. Manson, 470 Kennedy Street, Nanaimo, Western Air Command announces.

BOMBER GETS COMMISSION

R. W. Walker, Victoria, recently graduated as an air bomber and was commissioned pilot officer at an air force training school, Western Air Command announces.

British M.P. to Speak Of War to Club Here

Rt. Hon. Edward Leslie Burgin, P.C., LL.D., M.P., member of the British House of Commons and former Cabinet minister, will speak on "The War of Survival" at the luncheon meeting of Victoria Canadian Club at 12:15 next Thursday in the Empress Hotel lower grill-room.

W. A. McAdam, British Columbia's agent-general in London, says of the speaker: "You will find Dr. Burgin one of the finest speakers. It has been our privilege to listen to."

Dr. Burgin has been member of the Privy Council, Minister of Transport, Minister of Supply, member of the League of Nations general council, member of the senate of University of London, and has held many other important posts.

Tickets for the luncheon meeting should be secured before next Wednesday evening, Rev. George Biddle president, announces.

Will Use "E" Coupons For Tea and Coffee

When tea and coffee coupons in Ration Book No. 3 are exhausted holders may switch to the "E" (colored yellow) which will be used after February 17 and until the new ration books are issued in April, A. B. Food, ration officer for Victoria, announced yesterday.

"E" Coupons one to six will be used for tea or coffee after that date, with "E" 1 and "E" 2 becoming valid February 17 and the next two becoming valid three weeks later.

While Ration Book No. 3 still contains sufficient sugar coupons, those allotted to tea and coffee were used up faster because the ration allowance was stepped up. Where two new sugar coupons become valid every four weeks, two green tea and coffee coupons become valid every three weeks.

"The public should remember that children under 12 are not allowed tea and coffee coupons," Mr. Food warned, "and housewives are asked not to use 'E' coupons from books which belong to children."

Dismiss Charges

EDMONTON, Feb. 4 (CP).—Charges of homicide against Charles Stack, 40, and Irene Thomas, 35, in connection with the death January 14 of Raymond C. Jevne, of Entwistle, Alta., were dismissed in police court today by Magistrate A. Millar. Charges of theft and vagrancy preferred against Miss Thomas, together with one count of theft against Stack, also were dismissed.

Jevne was found dead in his burning automobile by police, called by Stack.

A coroner's jury found January 27 that Jevne had died of carbon monoxide poisoning after a drinking party with Stack and Miss Thomas. The jury added that Stack and the woman had shown "great negligence" in not removing Jevne from the burning car.

Funeral Monday for Nurse Elizabeth Pierce

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP).—Funeral services will be conducted on Monday for Nursing Sister Elizabeth Pierce, veteran nurse of the first World War, who died in Shaughnessy Military Hospital on Thursday.

A graduate of Royal Jubilee Hospital at Victoria, Miss Pierce was awarded the Royal Red Cross Medal for devotion to duty.

FROM SOUP TO NUTS

SAN JUAN, P.R., Feb. 4 (AP).—After four years in the marines, a stretch in a steel mill, six years of pounding a police beat in Minneapolis, Minn., and two years in the navy, Aviation Ordnance Chief Laverne Walton has become an expert at crocheting. He concentrates on fancy napkins.

Kamloops Man Boosts Victoria

"I've been a visitor to Victoria on and off for 40 years. With weather like this I couldn't help being a booster," declared J. L. Gordon, Kamloops businessman now at the Empress for a month's visit.

He first visited the city in the 90's and remembers the causeway as a wooden bridge and the site of the Empress as a swampy depression.

Two brothers, the late J. D. Gordon and the late M. P. Gordon, came to Victoria from Ontario in 1882. Mr. Gordon followed his two brothers West ten years afterward and made his home in Kamloops. In the retail furniture business for 54 years, he has no intention of retiring.

Also visiting Victoria is his niece, Mrs. M. Bennett, of Toronto. Seven of her friends from the East are also in the city. A niece and nephew of Mr. Gordon, Jessie and Marsh Gordon, reside here.

35 Planes on Long Flight to Africa

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Feb. 4 (AP).—Douglas Aircraft Corporation announced today that a fleet of 35 twin-engine American transports has successfully negotiated a 1,970-mile hop from Natal to Africa, carrying five tons of cargo each.

The announcement said the planes carried 1,623 gallons of fuel each, crews of four and equipment to operate for two years. There were several R.A.F. passenger-pilots in the flight.

Minor Operation For Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (AP).—President Roosevelt disclosed today that he had undergone a minor operation for removal of a wen from the back of his head. Altogether he said he spent a half hour in the naval hospital and then yelled for a cigarette when the operation was over.

Wedd Promoted

LONDON, Feb. 4 (CP).—Lt.-Col. Basil Wedd, of Toronto, has been promoted to brigadier to be senior civil affairs officer at Canadian Army headquarters here, headquarters announced today.

In this capacity he will head the New Canadian civil affairs organization which will go into Western Europe with Canadian forces, doing somewhat similar work to that done by Allied Military Government officials in Sicily and Italy.

A considerable number of Canadian officers have been taking special training for this work and will be under Brigadier Wedd.

No Change in Tax

OTTAWA, Feb. 4 (CP).—Merging of the cost-of-living bonus with basic wage rates, effective on the first payroll period on or after February 15 under the new wage control order, will make no change in taxation.

Cost-of-living bonuses have always been subject to tax, which has been computed on the total earnings.

New Ration Books

Ration Book No. 4 will be issued during the week of March 26 to April 1, which has been set as the national campaign or distribution week, W.P.T.B. officials announced yesterday. Exact date of distribution in the Victoria district has not been set, but it will take place sometime during the last week in March. Coupons from the new book will be valid starting April 13.

MONTREAL, Feb. 4 (CP).—National total of the Queen's Canadian Fund was announced tonight at $1,464,596.

Russian Front

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fighters as the Germans rushed in their tri-engined planes to bring supplies and perhaps fly out officers as they did at Stalingrad a year ago. Twenty-four of the big planes were shot down in addition to ten of their escorting fighter planes. Another 60 were wrecked on the ground, Moscow said.

The Russians, moving in steadily on the ground, captured seven towns including Noronovka, 13 miles north of Shpolan Moshni, 15 miles northwest of Cherkasi and Mikhailovka, nine miles south of Kanev.

In the north the Russians not only cleared the Gulf of Finland to a point ten miles post the Estonian border, but to the south they were advancing along the eastern banks of Lake Peipus, capturing several towns and hamlets, the communique said. The westward drive had bypassed the gateway town of Narva with the capture of villages both to the southwest and northwest.

Other forces of Gen. Leonid A. Govorov's Leningrad front pushed to within 20 miles of Luga down the Leningrad-Luga-Pskov railway, capturing the town of Mshinskaya. This also secured the southern end of a spur railway going north to the Leningrad-Narva-Reval railway.

PUSHED FROM LAST STRONGHOLD

Still farther east troops of Gen. Kyrill A. Meretskov's Volkhov front, moving west from the completely cleared Leningrad-Moscow railway, pushed the Germans from their last foothold on the Leningrad-Novgorod line, giving the Russians complete control of two major north-south routes.

German broadcasts, meanwhile, issued pessimistic reports indicating that a Russian attack, which they reported yesterday upon the White Russian stronghold of Vitebsk, was growing in intensity. The Germans hinted that Vitebsk might soon be yielded.

Govorov's drive around Narva was posing not only a threat to the Germans in Narva itself but also a problem for Finland, which has coasted along for the last year as Hitler's ally with little active fighting.

The liberation of Leningrad, Moscow dispatches pointed out, has freed mighty land, air and naval forces which it was suggested may be used to force Finland to make up its mind whether it would try to fight on or quit now.

The German agency, Transocean, said the Crimea again has become one of the focal points of big battle on the eastern front. In the course of the past 24 hours strong Soviet infantry and tank formations resumed the battle for the Crimea with thrusts against the German defence positions near Perekop.

The Russians were silent on the Crimea, but there may have been a hint of action in a dispatch to the Soviet Navy newspaper Red Fleet, which said the Germans were making preparations to evacuate the Crimea if necessary, concentrating on the peninsula groups of Junkers-52 transport planes with experienced pilots and "super armament."

Received by the King

LONDON, Feb. 4 (CP).—The King today received in audience Maj.-Gen. James H. Doolittle, commander of the United States Eighth Air Force based in Britain.

NEWS IN FOUR LANGUAGES

NAIROBI (CP).—The Information Office here now issues 11,000 newsletters a week to African Forces in Kenya. They are printed in four languages and the office also publishes a monthly publication in Swahili.

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New Brunswick House Opens February 22

FREDERICTON, Feb. 4 (CP).—The fifth session of New Brunswick's 30th Legislature will open on February 22, Premier J. B. McNair announced today following a caucus of Government members.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP).—Mrs. Rose Chapman had her arm torn off when her glove caught in a milling machine at the Dominion Bridge ordnance plant today. Plant officials reported her condition as serious.

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Graduate of Royal Roads Tells About Sinking of Scharnhorst

WRITING to his father, R. L. Shimmin, of Vancouver, Midshipman R. Allen Shimmin, R.C.N., tells about the action in which the German battleship Scharnhorst was destroyed. Well known in Victoria, the description will be of interest to his many friends locally. He states:

"The Scharnhorst tried to attack a convoy we were covering, but she was driven off and forced to the southward towards us. All afternoon we closed her at high speed and around 4 o'clock (pitch dark around here for hours then) we picked her up and closed right in to within six miles before she saw us and fired a star shell, lighting us up like a Christmas tree. We fired a star shell and opened up with broadsides. Our first broadside hit and she turned away. She was slow in opening up, but when she did it was deadly accurate. Both sides began violent zig-zagging, and although we were straddled and near missed again and again, we were not hit directly. Some ships were not so lucky. She ran fast, returning broadside for broadside, but she was hit and put on fire. She extinguished her fire and kept fighting. She was getting away but destroyers managed to hit her with a torpedo and slowed her down. This is the end of the first phase.

"Second phase starts now. We closed again and began firing rapid broadsides. We kept going in closer and closer, weaving all the time, until we had hit her fire-control. The Jamaica was ordered to attack with torpedoes. We ceased fire and ran right in at top speed. This was a nerve-wracking period as we did not know how badly she was damaged because if she could still shoot we would be blown out of the water by her 11-inch guns faster than it takes to say it. We managed to fire port "torps" before she saw us, but we missed her and turned around to try with starboard tubes. As we were turning helpless and within nearly point blank range she fired a star shell right over us which gave enough light for us to read by. We knew we were in for it and then she fired tracer 11-inch at us. We watched them coming dead in line and dropping right towards us.

What a long time they seemed to take. They came closer and closer, and finally passed overhead, but very close. Nevertheless, we went in again and fired starboard tubes at a range of only a mile and a quarter, and opened up with our six-inch again as we got out of it. Two of our torpedoes hit and she was burning and ceased fire with us still unhit. Star shell was kept on her so she was lit up beautifully, and I saw her, smoke pouring from amidships keeling over bow down, slowly sinking.

"As I told you before my action station is star shell sight—the most powerful glasses in the ship. I had a wonderful view of the entire show. It lasted from J opening fire until I saw her go down about three and one-half to four hours. During the first phase when the 11-inch were landing nearby I was on my sight, and had taken my eyes off to rest them and was leaning overboard to see the enemy, then ahead of us, when an 11-inch salvo landed in the water about five yards from the ship's side and almost directly below me.

"There was a colossal bang and rattle of splinters hitting armor and a great shower of water. The concussion shook my newly-grown wisdom teeth, the shrapnel clipped a nice hole in my right glove and the water absolutely soaked me from head to foot. I climbed under some armor, a very much wiser man, but completely unhurt. The gloves I considered unlucky so I took them off and felt much safer. Also, during this stage (which lasted over an hour and a half) the other midshipman in the A.D.P. had a splinter which hit his coat just on his stomach after it had hit the bulkhead behind me after whistling past my right side and away on my left. Result: No one hurt and one spent piece of shrapnel as a souvenir. At another time when we were all on the deck ducking shrapnel, my communication number, a marine bugler boy, exclaimed "Gor Blimy, m'mother wouldn't 'arf 'ave a fit hif she could see me now." From the grunts of laughter from the rather compressed company I gathered that that pretty well summed up the general attitude.

It has just been announced that we will be able to send a full account of the battle minus technical details in letters very soon, so I will tell the entire story as soon as I can. I wouldn't have missed this for the world. Maclachlan, myself and Murphy (remember him?), May and Hopkins were all in the fight and so are the first of our class to be in a major action. We intend having a get together to celebrate and blow our horns a bit. Maybe, maybe, we will get a few hours' leave for this, I hope, I hope.

Just heard over the radio that we have hit the news at last. Please note the little footnote: "This is not the Jamaica's first action," but it is the biggest.

The names mentioned, Red MacLachlin, Allen Shimmin, were aboard the Jamaica, while Murphy, May and Hopkins were all classmates and graduated from the original class at Royal Roads.

Request Not Granted

A BRITISH PORT, Feb. 4 (CP)—Survivors of the German submarine sunk in the Atlantic recently by the Royal Navy frigate Nene and the Canadian Corvettes Snowberry and Calgary were so impressed with the treatment accorded them aboard Snowberry that one of them asked to see the commanding officer, Lieut. J. A. (Hamish) Dunn, of Montreal and Victoria.

He wanted to join the Royal Canadian Navy, stay with the corvette, and fight out the war on the side of the Allies. His request was not granted.

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily at 1:20 p.m. for Vancouver. Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily at 3:45 p.m. from Vancouver. Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily at midnight for Vancouver. Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily at 7 a.m. from Vancouver. Sundays only a special sailing will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver at 9:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4:30 p.m. Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 12:25 p.m.; Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9:45 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 8:45 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria for Port Angeles daily at 9:45 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8:45 a.m.

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SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay for Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday at 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood at 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily—except Saturdays and Sundays, at 7:30 a.m., 2:45 p.m. Saturdays only at 7:30 a.m., 2:45 a.m. and 9:15 p.m. Sundays only at 5:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 8:30 p.m., Mondays.

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Island Netherlanders Greet Their Princess

Top left: Princess Juliana of The Netherlands shown upon her arrival at the C.P.R. Wharf, where she was met by Col. the Hon. W. C. Woodward, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, and Mrs. Woodward. Top right: Acting for Netherlanders now living on Vancouver Island, many of whom came a considerable distance to greet Her Royal Highness, Mrs. C. Zurr presents a bouquet in tribute to the Princess.

Accompanied by Captain W. E. Watts, Princess Juliana inspects the Royal Guard of Honor. Commanded by Captain Watts, the guard consists of 100 men from a crack Eastern regiment. Smooth and smart precisionists, the guard made a deep impression upon all observers.

Clad in native costume, eight-year-old Sandrina Van Alphen also presented the Princess with a bouquet.

Victoria Acclaims Royal Visitor

Crowds lined the harbor and causeway yesterday when H.R.H. Princess Juliana of The Netherlands, heir to a throne standing third among colonial powers of the world, set foot on the shores of this Island. In the minds of many her arrival suggested a scene of nearly three centuries ago, when, guided by the bonfires flaring along the dark English headlands, her royal ancestor William of Orange, sailed to the shores of that island.

Attired in a turquoise blue Dutch cap with brown veil and dark sable coat over her brown suit, the fair-haired Princess, gracious and regal, walked down the gangway flanked by Lieutenant - Governor W. C. Woodward and Mrs. Woodward. She was closely followed by her secretary, W. Van Tets; her lady-in-waiting, Mrs. Van Tets; Lt.-Cmdr. Hew Paterson, Premier and Mrs. John Hart, Mayor Andrew McGavin and Mrs. McGavin, Capt. W. J. M. Watson-Armstrong, consul of The Netherlands for British Columbia, and Glen C. Holland, vice-consul at Victoria, all of whom were presented to Her Highness on the boat.

Walking toward the enormous crowd pressing in on all sides, from Belleville Street to the C.P.R. docks, Princess Juliana smiled cordially and waved her hand. The official party drew to attention and the throng paid silent tribute to the Dutch as their national anthem was played. Escorted by Lt.-Cmdr. Hew Paterson and Capt. W. E. Watts, the Princess then inspected her guard of honor which stood stiffly to attention with fixed bayonets.

Members of The Netherlands delegation were visibly moved as they waited quietly on the sidelines to speak their words of welcome. First to be presented was L. J. Eeckman, who introduced eight-year-old Sandrina van Alphen, dressed in the Dutch national costume, complete with starched white cap and wooden clogs. The child shyly offered her lovely colonial bouquet of vivid tulips to Victoria's royal guest. Mrs. C. Zuur, a resident of Victoria since leaving The Netherlands eight years ago, then presented another bouquet to the smiling Princess, who spoke her words of thanks in the Dutch tongue.

Cries of "Long Live Princess Juliana" rang in the air as the Princess rejoined the official welcome party. As she drove slowly off in the Lieutenant-Governor's car, followed by her guard of honor and the band, 100 Dutch voices lifted to sing "Wilhelmus van Nassauen," stirring tribute to the House of Orange.

The guest of Government House, the Princess is occupying the royal suite in which King George and Queen Elizabeth were guests five years ago.

Canadian National Purchases New Cars

MONTREAL, Feb. 4.—The first car of an order for 2,050 all steel 40-ton boxcars was delivered to the Canadian National Railways today, by the Hamilton plant of the National Steel Car Corporation, it was announced by D. McK. Ford, vice-president of purchases and stores for the national system.

This sample car, built to specifications of the C.N.R. mechanical department, is of the latest design and includes all of the recently developed improvements. When full production is attained by the builders, twenty cars will be delivered each day.

"So far, there are approximately 700 Canadian National boxcars in service, which carry the white maple leaf and slogan 'C.N.R. serves all Canada,' and the new cars will also carry this attractive monogram," said Mr. Ford. These new cars will be painted in standard boxcar red with white lettering. They are urgently required to handle the ever-increasing war shipments which make up the bulk of freight traffic during present conditions.

Touring System

J. A. McISAAC

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4.—On a tour of the entire system from Halifax to Vancouver, J. A. McIsaac, assistant general superintendent, sleeping and dining car services, Canadian National Railways, has arrived in Vancouver. His visit here coincides with the inauguration of a series of special classes for department employees, under the supervision of M. L. Flett, sleeping and dining car agent, Vancouver.

Nobody Can Predict When War Will End

TORONTO, Feb. 4 (CP). — Hon. Angus Macdonald, Minister of Naval Services, said in an interview here today that "every ship in an Allied convoy in the Atlantic now has an almost 100 per cent chance of getting through safely; compared to even a year ago the drop in the effectiveness of U-boats is startling."

"Due to complete co-operation between the naval and air forces of Britain, the United States and Canada, the Germans are pretty well whipped on the Atlantic."

He also remarked that nobody can predict when the war will end, "but I believe there is a good possibility that the war against Germany will end this year."

The Royal Canadian Navy is not recruiting at the moment because its quota is full, he said, but by the end of March it will be recruiting at full speed again.

President to Rescue

MONTREAL, Feb. 4 (CP).—When Joseph Urban, of Montreal, a Canadian National Railways porter, was refused entry into the United States to attend the funeral of his brother, Walter, whom he had not seen in 20 years, President Roosevelt came to the rescue.

Urban (Unbanavicus in Lithuania, his native country) was called to the United States Consulate here Saturday, after he sent the President a telegram requesting permission to attend the funeral at Brooklyn, and received his visa.

Pilot Landed Safely

MACON, Ga., Feb. 4 (AP)—Second Lieut. William E. Arnold, identified as a son of Screen Actor Edward Arnold, parachuted to safety near Wrightsville, Ga., Wednesday night with his five man crew after exhausting fuel hunting a landing field obscured by forest fire smoke, the United States Army Air Forces disclosed today. Members of the crew said they were unaware their pilot was the screen actor's son.

Parents to Appear

NANAIMO, B.C., Feb. 4 (CP).—Parents of two Victoria juveniles arrested at nearby Cumberland on Tuesday in possession of a stolen Nanaimo automobile must appear in juvenile court here February 9 with their sons, who were sent home under escort today. A third youth, V. Bullock, is being held here.

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Empire. Personally, he said, he favored an Empire Council with deliberative powers, continuing from week to week.

Men who were farmers still were being called to compulsory military service for duty in Canada only. This home-defence force cost from $150,000,000 to $175,000,000 a year.

DOUBTS EFFICIENT USE OF MANPOWER RESOURCES

"There are manpower shortages in the key industries and yet the garrison army remains," said Mr. Diefenbaker. "Can it be said any longer that the policy in effect makes for efficiency in the utilization of the manpower resources?"

Furloughs in Canada should be granted to men in the army overseas, he suggested.

The call-up for compulsory military service did not represent an even distribution. In every military district of Canada except No. 5 (Quebec), there had been an increase of from 18 to 29 per cent in the male population available for service in the 18-to-45 years' class, when compared with the number available in the 19-to-45 class.

"With every other military district showing an increase, No. 5 Military District, taking in the 18-year-olds, shows that there are 300 men less of the 18-to-45-year class than there were last year in the 19-to-45-year class," Mr. Diefenbaker said.

Call-up figures showed that in Saskatchewan, with an enlistment record of 35.7 per cent, 60 per cent more were being called up than in provinces where voluntary enlistments were least.

Four members participated in the continued Throne Speech debate today—J. G. Diefenbaker (P.C., Lake Centre), Dr. M. E. McGarry (L., Inverness-Richmond), Robert Fair (N.D., Battle River) and Joseph Noseworthy (C.C.F., York South).

When the sitting opened, War Services Minister LaFleche announced appointment of W. J. Parker, of Winnipeg, president of the Manitoba Pool Elevators, as a member of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation's board of governors.

The House approved motions appointing committees on social security and reconstruction to continue the work of similar committees last year.

Two Quit Red Cross

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP)—F. W. Tuffrey, British Columbia Commissioner of the Canadian Red Cross Society, and Miss Alice G. White, executive secretary, have resigned, it was announced here today.

Tuffrey, who joined the Red Cross as field secretary, came to Vancouver as acting commissioner and was later named commissioner. Miss White has been with the Red Cross for the past 14 years.

Accidental Death

NANAIMO, Feb. 4 (CP)—Accidental death was the verdict brought in by a coroner's jury today at an inquest into the death of Gustaph Woizke, student at Small Arms Training School here, who was killed January 31 when hit by a taxi driven by H. Galloway.

The War Today—

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

Nazi reports that the Fifth Army beachhead at Nettuno, south of Rome, has been "encircled" can be discounted, but there is ample evidence from the scene that the operation has reached a critical stage.

For the moment, at least, that bold Allied flanking manoeuvre aimed at cutting in between Rome and the main battle line in Italy to the south appears to be stopped. It could not be encircled, with Allied naval forces of tremendous power at its back; but it could be boxed into its beachhead roughly 14 miles wide and eight miles deep.

The Allied force, now said to include six divisions and unquestionably supplied with all types of armor and guns, must do more than hold that beachhead. Its goal other than Rome itself was obviously to cut the two main supply routes from Rome southward feeding the Cassino-Minturno end of the Gustav Line.

American forces fought their way to the outskirts of Cisterna on the Appian Way. That is the most dangerous sector for the Germans since Allied capture of Cisterna might also have permitted a quick advance to cut the Via Casilina, the Rome-Cassino highway, less than seven miles farther inshore, as well.

A desperate Nazi defence at Cisterna prevented that. Just how far back below the Appian Way the American units which failed to take Cisterna now are posted is not clear; but it seems certain that their field guns are raking the highway to make it unusable for the Germans except from the South.

German gun positions on the Alban Hills, just south of Rome, are such as to command all the direct roads inshore from the Nettuno-Anzio beachhead centre. They fan out on both sides of that hill mass and with the Nazi front south of the Cisterna-Velletri-Valmontone road now seemingly well bolstered, it will take a knock-down-drag-out fight to attain decisive results.

With sea and air superiority in Allied hands, the gamble for a quick and decisive flanking operation south of Rome that would unhinge the whole Nazi front and probably force early surrender of Rome itself was well worth while. But the enemy has again demonstrated masterly staff abilities and speed in troop deployment under critical conditions to nullify much of the initial advantage gained by the Allies in the surprise manoeuvre that caught him napping on the Nettuno beachhead.

Nevertheless, it is doubtful that there is much danger of the Allied force being driven out as yet. It is too strong in numbers, too well equipped and too well backed by naval and air power.

Meanwhile, a crisis for the foe is at hand around the Cassino bastion to the south. Its fall to surrounding Allied forces seems imminent. That would open the way up the Liri Valley via the Casilina highway for an advance on the flank of the ring so swiftly forged by the Germans about the Nettuno-Anzio beachhead.

Air Attacks

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R.A.F. Mosquitos, shepherded by fighters, attacked military objectives in Northern France, the Air Ministry announced, and later similar missions were carried out by Typhoon fighter-bombers, one of which is missing.

Flyers reported relatively light anti-aircraft fire on the French coast. Similar reports have come from other recent attacks, indicating the Germans may have moved mobile guns from the coastal area to guard approaches to their smashed cities.

Airmen on the heavy bomber raid said some anti-aircraft fire was of a rocket type.

The Germans lashed back at London with a two-wave attack by about 70 planes Thursday night, causing some casualties and starting several fires in London. All the fires were extinguished by fireguards, and British ground defenders shot down four German planes.

In addition to the Mosquito attack on Western Germany last night, Intruders, including R.C.A.F. planes, ranged over Northern France, while mine layers invaded enemy waters.

R.C.A.F. fighters destroyed two enemy aircraft at night—one over Britain and one over Northern France, while Canadian bombers laid mines in enemy waters. No Canadian aircraft were missing from the operations.

A Mosquito-Intruder team of Flt. Lt. Tommy Anderson, of Winnipeg, and F.O. Frank Cadman, of Victoria, destroyed the plane over Northern France last night. Both flyers, who recently arrived from Canada, were on their second operational flight.

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VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP).—Nearly $10,000 damage was done at the Dominion Steelweld Co. plant here last night, when fire broke out and destroyed part of the roof and a large electric motor. The plant is working on war orders.

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Germany's Choice

It rests with the German High Command whether or not Rome is to be turned into a battleground. On the hills outside of Rome there are better defensive positions than any that would be afforded by resistance within the Eternal City itself. The Allies landing at Nettuno and Ancio could have marched directly on Rome with little initial opposition. They made it clear the move was one of outflanking the Gustav Line, which rapidly is becoming untenable. It is Germany's move now.

Twice in this war the Allies bombed railway yards and other specific targets in Rome, going to extreme pains to see that their pilots and navigators knew the terrain and would avoid objects of historical and other import, centuries old in time. On three occasions the Germans bombed Rome, pretending these attacks were by Allied machines. This was part and parcel of the Nazi plan, but the ultimate decision must come now. Rome can be declared an open city and treated as such, or it can be turned into a battleground by German election and choice. Whichever it be, the world will hold Germany responsible.

There will be no military gain to Germany in turning Rome into a shambles. Their forces will be as much exposed and at risk there as they would be in the hills to the north and east. Such an act, however, would outrage much that has been held in trust by time. Ethically, artistically and historically, Rome belongs to the world. Only vandals voluntarily would choose its destruction. The Allies have made their own course very plain. It is now for Germany to decide. Is it really going back to the days of the Visigoths and the Huns?

Russian Successes

The encircling of ten German divisions south of the middle Dnieper River in the Ukraine, now an established fact, is paying our Russian Ally some of the military dividends earned a month ago when the enemy's forces were outmanoeuvred and outflanked on the southern end of the Eastern Front. Only bitter and costly German resistance delayed the result which is maturing now. For the ten enemy divisions trapped inside the lines Germany must have lost as many or more again in attempting to hold open the escape corridors to the west. Intuition at least would appear to have deserted the German High Command.

Actually the Russian successes are on a much larger scale than the Ukraine victory alone implies. Three independent armies this Winter have taken the measure of the Germans opposite to them, and all three have made gains that cost the enemy dearly in morale, men and supplies. The freeing of Leningrad, with the contingent splitting of German and Finnish forces in the north, has now placed Russian troops astride the Estonian border. In the centre, north and south of the Pripet marshes, the Germans have been forced to evacuate some of the strongest positions on the entire line. In the south there is a developing battle in which the enemy stands to lose much more than the enveloped divisions south of the Dnieper River.

Berlin consoles itself that the fight is still a long way from the Reich. Less is said about the spreading defeat of German arms in the field, not at one, but at many, points. Nothing is said about vast territory won in three long campaigns, and now again yielded almost to the last province. With realism and persistence, Russian commanders have kept after the enemy, giving him no rest. As a preliminary to the final offensives of the war no more valuable contribution could possibly have been made to the United Nations' cause. There is some danger in following a beaten enemy in the field. The Russians have shown that they appreciate that, and they will not be lured into a second Tannenberg. Their three main spearheads are striking in unison and with telling effect. This, too, is part of the great design for victory.

Old Age Pensions

A Government-sponsored resolution on the order paper of the Provincial Legislature asks the support of the House in a petition to Ottawa asking the Dominion to broaden the old age pension machinery in Canada, curtail some the the present-day limitations and have the allowances applied at an earlier age for both men and women. There will be much public sympathy with that, although it may be open to debate if the resolution itself embodies the correct formula.

Take, first, the growing desire for a complete revision of the old age pension scheme, to make it more truly applicable to the need it is intended to serve. British Columbia has led the way towards an upward revision of the monthly allowances, and has paid part of the added portion out of its own pocket. It was expected that the Dominion would take the hint and re-examine the pension scheme throughout Canada, particularly in view of wartime disabilities under which pensioners are now suffering from a sharply increased cost of living. The Dominion, however, has delayed, and instead technicality and red tape have crept into the arrangement, to the detriment of those who are supposed to benefit.

What the public had more or less expected would take place was that the old age pension in Canada one day would be made universal, that it would be divorced from any narrow consideration of the assets of the beneficiaries, and that it would come to be conceded as a right open to all, limited only by genuine Canadian domicile and attainment of a reasonable span of years. Under such terms, those who do not in fact require the pension need not draw it, but others could without stigma or distaste of accepting "charity." Admittedly that was an ideal, but ideals can sometimes be reached.

Now examine the terms of the proposed Provincial resolution. They include the suggestion that pensions be increased to a maximum of $365 yearly, that permissible total income be conceded at up to $500, and that old age pensions begin at 60 for women and at 65 years of age for men. No mention is made of the cut-rate pensions now paid to men and women of the same family. The principle of income limitation would be perpetuated. The precise ages of 60 and 65 might, and perhaps would, imply a tripling of the pension load throughout Canada. In other words, such a request might be met with a flat refusal at Ottawa.

Might it not be better to deal with the present inequalities of the pension scheme—and there are not a few—and to restate the underlying principle that Canada should and must make reasonable provision under all conditions for those who have given to her their best years and who in the evening of their lives may stand in actual want. The test of the matter is that $365 per annum is itself a variable amount, depending on the cost of living at any one time, whereas human needs are a constant, and years numerically no absolute guide.

In to the Finish

In view of the propaganda efforts of the enemy, and the unfortunate assistance they sometimes are given by unthinking people upon our side, the statement made by Mr. Ernest Bevin in the House of Commons, Westminster, this week is a necessary and encouraging affirmation of the intention of Great Britain to play as full a part in the war against Japan as she has played, and is playing, in the war against Germany. We would say the British Empire, only Mr. Mackenzie King no doubt would require a conference on that. Mr. Bevin said flatly that the National Service Acts in the United Kingdom will apply until Japan, too, has been brought to her knees.

Now that is simple, straightforward and direct. It means that Great Britain will conscript men to the limit of whatever may be required for the final phases of this war, after the German hosts have been beaten. It means that the whole of the Royal Navy, Army and Air Force will be available for service against Japan as fast as their tasks in other theatres have been completed, together with whatever fresh recruitment and training may necessarily be implied. Great Britain's Labor Minister was asked if volunteers would be called for this service. His reply was that it was all one war, and that conscription for battle service would go on to the end—including the end of Japan.

One of the strings being plucked in the Goebbels' harp at the moment is the taunt that Great Britain will leave the United States alone to deal with Japan. Mr. Bevin has cut that string very neatly. No doubt it will be repaired and strummed again, for as a harpist Dr. Goebbels is incorrigible. But everyone listening to it now will know it for what it is, an old, old tune by a slightly mad composer whose day is passing fast.

Seen in Passing

Congratulations are in order to two well-known members of the Provincial Civil Service who, commended in the King's New Year honors list, will receive their awards at Government House on February 11. Commissioner T. W. S. Parsons, at the head of the British Columbia Police, and Harry Cathcart, Deputy Minister of Lands, know British Columbia from border to border and from the north to the south as few men living today do.

Victoria may paper the walls of its City Council Chamber with plans and even hang them on sandwich boards on its aldermen if it wishes, but until the ratepayers have seen and approved of the purpose of such structures not one brick is likely to be laid in its place or one man given a job with a trowel. Meanwhile, the city is being asked to find a mill and a half for necessary hospital accommodation, not in the future but now.

Sea Mood

Drums of the sea are sounding today,
Beating a wild tattoo,
Leaping the boulders bounding the bay,—
The backwash eddying through.—

Turbulent, in a whirling dance,
Rearing their whitecaps high,
They crash in undulant advance
Under the windswept sky.

A haunting call has the shining sea,
When waves in myriad throng
They hold me entranced in their symphony,—
This mighty Cosmic song.

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LOOK ALL RIGHT
(Vancouver Sun)

United States Army asked for 600,000 W.A.C.'s and got about a tenth of that number. An American sailor who was a dress designer before the war declares the W.A.C.'s uniform is ill-fitting and mannish and advises the War Department to "take a good look at the Canadian Women's Army Corps." Come to think of it, they do look all right.

NO ROOM HERE
(Calgary Herald)

These observations apply as well to many Japanese prewar residents of British Columbia. Most of them are not Canadian in sentiment. They not only sent their earnings back to their fatherland but through their fishing fleet gave the Japanese Admiralty complete information on the waters of the British Columbia Coast. It is not surprising that both in the Pacific Coast States and in Canada's most westerly province public opinion is solidly against ever again permitting the little brown men to establish their colonies in their midst. If the Dominion Government decides to allow the Japanese to remain in Canada, they should be distributed in every province and not allowed to establish themselves on a coast just across from Japan.

ALL TO THE GOOD
(Winnipeg Tribune)

It looks as if housewives are going to be deprived of one topic of conversation and hubbub during the coming Summer. The Wartime Prices and Trade Board has announced that canning sugar will be distributed by means of coupon "P" of the ration book now in the hands of the public. Anyone who thinks back to last Summer and recalls the mad filling of forms, the measuring the family preserving jars, the three-quarters of a pound of this and that, will agree that the contemplated change is all to the good.

ON RIGHT TRACK
(Financial Post)

It would seem to us that all will agree that Truro News is on the right track when it sets out to hound, harass and excoriate those law and regulation writers who can't say what they want to say in plain language or haven't got the wit to hire someone who can. The New York Herald-Tribune once pointed out that the Book of Genesis tells the entire story of creation in 400 words. The Ten Commandments took 300. The Gettysburg address had 270 words and an order of O.P.A. took 2,500 words to announce a reduction in the price of cabbage seed. Some of our law and regulation writers are trying to improve. Let them continue and win multitudes of their law-writing associates to join them in their striving.

HAS RIGHT TO SPEAK
(Ottawa Journal)

It is the right of anyone among us to oppose what Lord Halifax suggests. It is the right of none of us to oppose it without fair argument, or in the mood of suspicion and rancor. Lord Halifax is one of the most distinguished and revered figures in our British life. To suggest—as some already have suggested—that he had no right to come here and discuss a matter of common interest to our British brotherhood, and that by doing so he as interfering with "Canadian sovereignty," is surely to suggest nonsense. If the ties which bind the British family are so frail that they cannot stand discussion of our common future by one who is of our own, then they are frail indeed.

ECONOMY WANTED
(Gazette, Montreal)

Every citizen will demand that all the money necessary to throw the greatest weight behind this country's fighting forces be supplied, but every taxpayer will insist that no money be wasted on needless projects, on recklessly incurred expense accounts, on luxuries either for the defence departments or for the civilians themselves. The Government in its Victory Loan posters asks the people to back the attack by buying more bonds; the people are asking the Government to back the attack by rigorous economy.

POLITICAL BONDAGE
(Halifax Chronicle)

Never in living memory have people's ears been so afflicted and their intelligence so insulted by the Mad Mullahs of political and economic reform as is the case today. It is freedom—we are told—which is responsible for the turmoil and confusion of the age. And for that—if we were to heed the wailing of these false prophets of reform—there can be but a single remedy. That remedy is as sinister as it is significant. Sugar-coat it as you will, call it control, or governmental paternalism, or just plain regimentation, the ugly fact remains undisguised that we are being urged to sell our freedom for a mess of political and economic bondage.

Sunrise and Sunset

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6	7:37	5:18	21	7:13	5:43
7	7:36	5:20	22	7:11	5:44
8	7:35	5:22	23	7:09	5:46
9	7:33	5:24	24	7:07	5:48
10	7:32	5:25	25	7:05	5:49
11	7:30	5:27	26	7:03	5:51
12	7:28	5:28	27	7:01	5:53
13	7:27	5:30	28	7:00	5:54
14	7:25	5:31	29	6:58	5:56
15	7:23	5:33			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

FOR GARDENERS

Sir,—Last year when planting my garden I had occasion to sow field peas close by my garden peas. I got some wonderful results. The field peas were host to the weevil and badly infested. So far I have not found infected garden peas.

I would be pleased if other gardeners would try this experiment.

While living in the state of Washington 36 years ago, all gardens were more or less affected, and all seed had to be treated with bisulphate of carbon, which is a sure cure.

JOHN W. MARTINDALE.
1312 Balmoral Road, Victoria, B.C.,
February 4, 1944.

VOICE OF LABOR

Sir,—A wave of protest followed P.C. 9384. The good judgment of Victoria Trades and Labor Council advising against drastic action is commendable, and contrasts with the general reaction of labor throughout Canada, and especially the habitually vehement extremists. Thirty years' experience with an organized profession, and with skilled and unskilled labor, supports the statement that the majority among labor ranks and leaders have for so long allowed their minds to dwell on their rights and wrongs, real and imaginary, past or suspected, that it has become an obsession.

More stable labor relations will follow the choice of men for their sound views and good judgment, rather than for their loquacity and extremism, as union executives, representatives and organizers. Like a spoiled boy who often gets his own way only to avoid provocation, they become narrow in their views, selfish no matter how much they get. They soon want more—the paid professional agitators see to that. These are the men who should be put in overalls and given something useful to occupy their minds and let them volunteer part time service gratis in labor's cause.

Some are worse than politicians for never admitting an error, unfair demands or exploitation of favorable conditions. Capitalists and employers are always wrong, always exploiting. The best intention and plan of management or governments is spontaneously viewed with suspicion, its detrimental features exaggerated, its concealed weapons energetically disclosed in their imagination. A local war plant recently reverted to the 44-hour week, with the stipulation that if asked to work Saturday afternoon they would be expected to do so. The first Saturday certain trade groups were hostile. They were "going home at noon anyway." The company was "bucking labor," trying to make use of that reservation. What now? A lot of them want to work Saturday afternoons, having lost the cream of the pay cheques, especially the three hours' weekly bonus.

J. BULLIVANT,
779 Market Street, Victoria, B.C.,
January 30, 1944.

Haligon's Speech

Contributed

The Haligon on radio spoke
To tell the good Canadian folk
Some facts emerging from the years
Of toil and sweat and blood and tears;
The choice for countries, great or small—
United, stand; divided, fall!
(The Progratives, they pricked their ears
And tentatively uttered cheers,
But laid the Haligon's advice
Away on post-election ice.)

"Your voice and point of view," said he,
"Heard in the Commonwealth should be,
"Your fellow-members will be there
"Their own ideas, in turn, to share,
"And thus, the British Commonwealth
"In whole and part, maintains good health."
(The Literal Chief, he did not speak,
But kept his tongue within his cheek—
Not merely NOW demure and dumb
But, probably, for months to come.)

The Haligon, to unison
Gave reason and gave benison.
"In brief," he said, "a group, we can
"Sustain our part in Peacetime plan.
"Combined, we stand among the great:
"Alone—? . . . Let's not discuss that fate."
(The Yeasty-Letts remained aloof,—
In waistcoats pink and Tory-proof—
But seized the opportunity
To champion disunity.
. . . And, finally, could not resist
The catch-word: "Isolationist.")

But John and Bessie Beaver heard
The Haligon, and knew each word
For rock-ribbed commonsense, and knew
What simple things could prove it true.
For Bessie's wartime neighborhood
Had found co-operation good,
And John, in industry for war
Saw unity worth striving for . . .
In school, had they not learned by heart:
"The whole is greater than the part?"

—Doris Clute.

Valid Ration Coupons

Tea or coffee—Nos. 14 to 29.
Sugar—Nos. 14 to 26.
Preserves—Nos. D1 to D13.
Butter—Nos. 46 and 49.
Meat—Nos. 35 to 37—One coupon equals a quarter-pound can of salmon.

BIRMINGHAM, England (CP) — W. C. Johnson, chief constable of Birmingham, told the council the number of crimes in Birmingham was greater last year than ever before.

Observation Car

By G.B.

Hospitality was exemplified during a small party in a local hotel last Tuesday night when the kindly host asked the ladies present if they would like to telephone relatives in any part of Canada. One of them said she would be delighted to communicate with her uncle in Winnipeg so the host put the call through and handed the telephone to the astonished guest. After sincerely thanking her host, the woman recalled she had forgotten to ask her uncle about the temperature in her former home town. "Anything to oblige," the host replied, and before the woman could protest, he had called Winnipeg again and secured the desired information . . . There is reported to be a horse chestnut tree on Jubilee Avenue with new pale green leaves. Usually it is not safe to say that Winter is over until about the third week in February . . . A mother cat on Cook Street is so fond of her kittens, aged four weeks, that she will not let them out of her sight for even a few seconds. Try as they will, none of them can even lead one of their own nine lives . . . Speaking of cats reminds us of a prize Persian, owned by a local barrister, that was virtually killed by fleas. The lawyer filled part of his basement with sawdust, and fleas multiplied by leaps and bounds. They soon fastened themselves upon the cat. Various brands of flea powder proved ineffective, and in its efforts to get rid of the unwelcome boarders, the cat swallowed large bits of hair. The barrister rushed the cat to a veterinary who was unable to do anything to save the life of the animal . . . From a reader: "The Speech from the Throne stated in part: 'It is proposed to grant further tax relief by the rebate of a percentage of the automobile licence applicable to all passenger cars.' Some of us are wondering if the Legislative Assembly saw a bit of handwriting on the wall and learned that the oil controller for Canada intended to make a further drastic reduction in the quantity of gasoline to be allowed to those in A, AA, and B categories."

New Appointments

Robert A. Wootton, Victoria, has been appointed to the court of revision for Cowichan, Nanaimo and Victria assesment districts. Other appointments by order in council include Thomas J. Byrnes, Vancouver, to the board of management, St. Vincent's Hospital, and Eva M. Gibson and Leonard R. Edge, members of the Vancouver social service department, as commissioners for taking affidavits.

According to Culbertson

There are times when the holdup of an ace is unwise simply because the declarer has urgent need of the lower card as a means of exit. For example:

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 5 4 3 2
♥ 8 5 4
♦ J 7 4 3 2
♣ 8

WEST
♠ K Q J 9 6
♥ 9 6 2
♦ 8 5
♣ K 9 5

EAST
♠ 8 7
♥ 10 7 3
♦ Q 10 9
♣ J 10 6 4 2

SOUTH
♠ A 10
♥ A K Q J
♦ A K 6
♣ A Q 7 3

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

West, of course, opens the spade king, and the fate of the contract rests on declarer's play at the first trick. The player who is just experienced enough to know about holdup plays, but who knows little or nothing about the reasons for making or not making them would probably give West the first trick, with the vague idea that this was lessening the danger inherent in the spade suit. The inevitable spade continuation would remove the ace, and after that declarer could collect his top tricks, but he would never bring home the fulfilling trick.

The proper view of the entire situation, from the moment dummy appears, is as follows:

Declarer has eight sure tricks in his own hand. If he is lucky enough to drop the diamond queen, his worries will be over, but it is his duty, of course, to set up a plan that will not depend on better breaks than are to be expected. If the diamond queen does not drop, it will be impossible to enter dummy for the club finesse, and anyway, there is no assurance that the club king lies right. Thus, the soundest hope is to win the first trick so that declarer, after he cashes all his hearts and the two top diamonds will have the spade ten left as an exit and throw-in card.

Obviously, this line of play works out perfectly. West collects four spade tricks, but then must lead up to South's major tenace in clubs. Even if West had started with six spades, he could not keep all of them and his guard for the club king.

Vibration Injuries Will Be Considered

Injuries caused by continuous vibration from pneumatic or power drills, riveting machines or hammers used in any construction, mining or quarrying operation will be considered by the Workmen's Compensation Board, according to a recent announcement.

Compensation may be applied for in lung disturbances caused by sewer and road construction or tunneling, grinding or polishing of alloys or metal castings, or any process in any foundry or other manufacturing operation.

Dermatitis caused by any process in the manufacture of brooms or brushes or any process involving exposure to metallic magnesium or its alloys will also be considered by the board.

ORDERED TO FIGHT

CAPETOWN (CP)—In response to a Greek order for the conscription of all Greek citizens between 19 and 23 living in the Union, 60 men have enlisted in the Royal Hellenic Air Force in South Africa.

Tides at Victoria

FEBRUARY

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1944.

Date	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
1	1:26	5.5	8:29	9.0	15:41	4.3	.....	.....
2	0:17	6.0	1:56	5.5	9:06	8.9	16:45	3.4
3	.....	.....	.....	.....	9:45	8.9	17:40	2.9
4	3:56	7.9	4:47	7.6	10:24	8.8	18:29	2.4
5	4:30	8.4	6:76	8.1	11:04	8.7	19:19	2.1
6	5:00	8.5	7:17	8.0	11:41	8.6	19:49	1.9
7	5:29	8.8	8:04	7.9	12:16	8.6	20:35	1.9
8	5:55	8.5	8:44	7.8	12:35	8.5	21:00	2.0
9	6:18	8.4	9:20	7.5	13:04	8.4	21:34	2.3
10	6:24	8.3	9:39	7.3	14:14	8.1	22:05	2.6
11	6:11	8.1	10:39	8.9	15:00	7.8	22:28	3.1
12	6:13	8.1	11:24	6.5	15:34	7.4	23:00	3.8
13	6:29	8.1	12:10	6.1	16:55	7.0	23:39	4.4
14	6:50	8.2	13:01	5.6	16:00	6.6	.....	.....
15	0:04	5.0	7:15	8.3	13:59	5.1	19:24	6.2
16	0:20	5.6	7:39	8.4	14:59	4.5	.....	.....
17	.....	.....	8:01	8.6	15:59	3.8	.....	.....
18	.....	.....	8:30	8.8	16:55	3.1	.....	.....
19	.....	.....	9:10	9.0	17:49	2.4	.....	.....
20	.....	.....	10:08	9.2	.....	.....	18:35	1.9
21	4:54	8.1	5:55	8.0	11:16	9.3	19:20	1.5
22	4:51	8.1	7:15	7.6	12:20	9.4	20:04	1.3
23	4:50	8.0	8:09	7.3	13:20	9.2	20:48	1.4
24	4:00	8.2	9:00	8.5	14:10	8.9	21:30	1.9
25	4:21	8.4	9:51	5.6	15:19	8.5	22:11	2.8
26	4:55	8.3	10:45	5.1	16:24	7.9	22:55	3.4
27	5:30	8.5	11:41	4.6	17:24	7.3	23:38	4.0
28	6:09	8.5	12:41	4.1	18:55	6.9	.....	.....
29	0:24	5.5	6:48	8.5	13:45	3.6	22:01	5.7

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add above given.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of February 5, 1919)

Home at Last—Thirty months as a prisoner of war in German prison camps and in Holland was the experience of Captain Thomas Cowley, who reached home with the large party of veterans who arrived in Victoria Sunday morning.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of February 5, 1894)

The City—The marines of H.M.S. Garnet entertained the marines of H.M.S. Pheasant and the dockyard at a supper at the St. George's Inn, Thursday. Songs and toasts were given. The Garnet sails for home at nine this morning.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of February 5, 1869)

Montreal—Queen Victoria sent a post office order for three pounds as a donation from Her Majesty to the wife of William Law, of No. 7 Germain Street, Montreal, to assist her after her confinement of three children at one birth.

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Join Now! Help a Seaman!

TICKETS ON SALE EVERYWHERE

Finance–Commerce–Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP).—The stock market extended its decline today, although selling was less urgent.

Early attempts to instigate recovery met with virtually no support and, when liquors began to weaken, most departments joined in the retreat, although there were scattered exceptions among specialties. Closing declines of fractions to a point or so were widely distributed, with a few wider recessions in evidence.

Extreme losses were shaded in numerous cases at the last.

American Distilling dropped 7⅞, Park & Tilford 3⅝, and Dunhill International 1 as optimism over whisky dividends, actual and potential, was chilled by the O.P.A. ruling setting maximum prices on liquor being sold to shareholders. This would limit profits in resales to retailers.

The Associated Press 60-stock average was off .4 of a point at 49.9, duplicating its setback of Thursday. Both were among the sharpest of the past two months. Transfers totaled 600,420 shares compared with 903,060 yesterday.

(H. A. Humby, Ltd.)

	Close
Allied Chemicals	145
American Can	82
American Power & Light	7½
American Tobacco	63½
American Smelter	36⅛
American Tel & Tel.	157
American Waterworks	6⅝
Anaconda Copper	24⅝
Armour, Ills	5⅞
Atchison Topeka	36¼
B. & O. Railway	6⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	19½
Bendix Aviation	34¼
Beth. Steel	58
Boeing Aircraft	14½
Borden	29⅛
Borg Warner	36
Case, J. I.	34½
C.P.R.	8⅛
Cerro de Pasco	32
C. & O. Railway	45½
Chrysler	78
Columbia Gas	4⅛
Con. Edison	21⅛
Cont. Can	34
Crucible Steel	30
Curtiss Wright	5⅛
Douglas Aircraft	45½
Dupont	137⅛
Eastman Kodak	139
Erie R.R.	10⅛
General Foods	41½
General Electric	35⅛
General Motors	33⅝
Granby Copper	4
Goodrich, B. F.	41
Goodyear Tire	19⅞
Great Northern	27⅝
Great West Sugar	25⅞
Howe Sound	32⅝
Int. Harvester	71⅛
Int. T. & T.	12⅛
Int. Nickel	27⅛
Johns-Manville	36
Kennecott Copper	30⅛
Loews Theatre	10⅛
Montgomery Ward	43⅛
Nash Kelvinator	11½
New York Central	14½
Northern Pacific	14⅛
Penn. Railway	27½
Phillips Pete.	44½
Pullman	28
Radio	9⅛
Republic Steel	16⅛
Reynolds Tobacco	29⅛
Standard Oil, N.J.	52⅛
Standard Brands	8⅝
Sears Roebuck	65⅝
Southern Pacific	26⅞
Studebaker	14⅛
Texas Corp.	46½
Texas Gulf	35¼
Union Carbide	78⅝
Union Oil, Cal.	19⅛
Union Pacific	5⅛
United Aircraft	28⅛
United Gas Imp.	9⅛
U.S. Rubber	40⅛
U.S. Steel	51⅛
U.S. Smelting	53
Westinghouse Electric	42
Western Union	41⅛
Woolworth	39⅛
Youngstown Sheet	36
Zenith Radio	34⅝

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (CP).—Late foreign exchange rates:

Canadian dollar in New York open market, 10 1-4 per cent discount, or 89.75 U.S. cents, unchanged.

Europe: Great Britain official buying $4.02, selling $4.04.

Foreign Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 4½%, 1971	92.25	93.25
Australia 4½%, 1956	58.50	60.50
Brazil 4%, 1957	50.00	51.50
Buenos Aires 5%, 1984	57.50	60.50
Chile 6%, 1961	16.75	19.25
Colombia 6%, 1961	58.00	60.00
Cuba 4½%, 1977	103.75	104.75
Peru 6%, 1961	17.50	19.00
Sydney 5½%, 1955	92.00	95.50
Uruguay 4½%, 1978	67.50	69.75

(Above Prices in New York)

Provincial Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4%, 1934	85.00	88.00
Alberta 5%, 1955	85.50	88.50
British Columbia 4%, 1937	113.00	118.00
British Columbia 4½%, 1953	118.50	
British Columbia 5%, 1953	112.50	116.50
Manitoba 4½%, 1968	112.50	115.50
Manitoba 5%, 1968	114.50	117.50
New Brunswick 4½%, 1961	118.00	120.50
Ontario 4½%, 1966	109.00	111.00
Quebec 4½%, 1958	107.50	110.50
Saskatchewan 4½%, 1951	102.00	105.00
Saskatchewan 5%, 1952	99.50	102.50
Saskatchewan 6%, 1952	101.50	104.50

Winnipeg Grain

(H. A. Humby, Ltd.)

Rye—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	129½	129½	128⅝	128⅞
July	127⅝	128⅛	127	127⅛
Oct.	126	126¼	125½	125½
Cash Grain				
Oats—				
No. 2 C.W.				51½
Track				51½
Barley—				
No. 3 C.W.				84½
Track				84½
Rye—				
No. 3 C.W.				126½
Track				126⅝

Chicago Grain

(H. A. Humby, Ltd.)

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	156⅝	157⅛	156⅛	156⅞
July	158⅝	158⅞	157⅞	157⅞
Sept.	161⅝	161⅞	160⅞	160⅞
Oats—				
May	80	80⅝	80	80⅛
July	77⅞	77⅞	77⅞	77⅞
Sept.	75⅞	75⅞	75⅞	75⅞
Rye—				
May	130⅝	130⅝	129⅞	129⅞
July	129⅞	129⅞	129⅞	129⅞

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Closing Averages

(James Richardson & Sons)

CLOSING INDEX

Twenty industrials, 117.56, down .12.

Twenty golds, 104.42, up .10.

Ten base metals, 68.93, down .07.

Fifteen utilities, 36.62, down .22.

Total sales, 443,000.

CLOSING MONTREAL AVERAGES

Twenty industrials, 76.50, off .02.

Ten utilities, 55.80, up .10.

Thirty combined, 69.50, off .10.

Ten pulp and papers, 135.32, off .18.

Fifteen golds, 76.70, off .34.

Total sales, 49,100.

CLOSING VANCOUVER AVERAGES

Twenty golds, 42.01, up .06.

Ten base metals, 45.58, off 1.11.

Fifteen oils, 86.37, unchanged.

Egg Market

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Products Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2492.

To producer:

Grade "A" large	.30
Grade "A" medium	.28
Grade "A" pullets	.25

To wholesalers:

Grade "A" large	.34
Grade "A" medium	.32
Grade "A" pullets	.29

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Aluminum, pfd.	97¼	98
Beatty Bros. "A"	35	
Bell Telephone	155½	156
B.A. Oil	21	21½
B.C. Power "A"	32	
B.C. Power "B"	33	
Bralorne	11⅞	12
Brazilian Traction	22½	23
Burlington Steel		39
Canadian Celanese	37	39
C.P.R.	10½	10¾
Can. Steamship, pfd	34½	35
Con. Mining & Smelting	49	49½
Dunlop Farmer	29	32
Ford of Canada "A"	23½	24
Guinness Power 5% pfd.	85½	88
Imperial Oil	13½	13¾
Imperial Tobacco	11¼	11½
Int. Metal Indust. 6% pfd.	101½	103
Int. Metal Indust. "A"	18½	19
Int. Nickel	30	30¼
Int. Petroleum	21¼	21½
Loblaw Gro. "A"	23	23½
Montreal L.H. & Power	21¼	22
Noranda	50	51
Page Hersey Tubes	94	97
Shawinigan W. & P.	75	
Steel of Canada	64	65
Hiram Walker G. & W.	57	57¼
Bank of Montreal	17	18
Royal Bank	135½	138
Canadian Bank of Commerce	134	136

Dominion Bonds

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Canada	4½	1944	102.25	102.75
" "	4½	1946	105.50	106.25
" "	3½	1949	101.75	102.25
" "	4½	1952	106.00	107.00
" "	4½	1958	108.75	109.75
" "	4½	1959	109.50	110.50
" "	3	1955	100.50	101.75
" "	3½	1966	102.25	103.25
" "	3	Perpetual	94.50	95.50
" "	3½%	1949	102.50	103.50
" "	3½%	1951	103.50	104.50
" "	3	1958	99.25	100.75
1st War Ln.	5½	1952	104.50	105.50
2nd War Ln.	5	1952	101.75	102.75
1st Victory Ln.	3	1951	101.00	104.00
2nd Victory Ln.	3	1954	101.75	102.75
3rd Victory Ln.	3	1956	100.50	101.50
4th Victory Ln.	3	1957	99.50	100.50
5th Victory Ln.	3	1959	99.25	100.25
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Can. Natl. Rly	4½	1951	122.50	123.75
" "	5	1957	130.25	129.50
" "	4½	1955	128.75	130.00
" "	July 4	1969	116.50	117.75
" "	Oct. 4	1960	127.50	129.00
" "	5	1953	117.25	118.75
" "	5	1955	101.00	102.00
" "	4	1944	100.50	101.50
" "	4	1950	101.50	102.50
" "	3	1960	99.25	100.75
Gr. Trunk Pac.	3	1962	109.75	111.25
" "	4	1962	121.75	124.25

London Stocks

LONDON, Feb. 4 (AP).—British stock closings in sterling:

Austin "A," 26s 9d; Babcock & Wilcox, 50s; Boots, 42s 6d; Central Mining, £16 1-2; Consolidated Gold, 52s 6d; Courtaulds, 52s 9d; Crown, £7 3-4; De Beers, £17 5-8; Hudson's Bay, 60s 6d; London, Midland, £33; Metal Box, 90s; Mexican Eagle, 10s 9d; Mining Trust, 3s 9d; Rand, £7 1-2; Springs, 16s 9d.

Bonds—British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £79 5-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £103 13-16; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £113 11-16.

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Feb. 4 (CP).—Substantial wheat buying featured market dealings today on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange.

Agents representing the United States Commodity Credit Corporation made purchases amounting to 2,000,000 bushels of Nos. 2 and 3 Northern, while sales to the United Kingdom were placed at 400,000 bushels of Nos. 1 and 2 Northern.

In the coarse grain pit, rye held firm on good support by shippers and American houses and scarcity of offerings.

Closing quotations were 1-4 to 1-2 lower with May at $1.28 7-8, July $1.27 1-8 and October $1.25 1-2.

Charged With Theft

CLOVERDALE, B.C., Feb. 4 (CP).—J. W. Barr, secretary-accountant of Surrey Co-operative, has been arrested and charged with theft of $200 from the Co-operative. The Co-operative had a turnover of nearly $750,000 last year.

Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, Feb. 4 (CP).—Senior oils were fairly busy on today's market on gains of minimum fractions, the International Metals issues gained ⅛ and other issues firming ⅛ point included B.C. Power.

Hiram Walker, Distillers-Seagrams and Canadian Breweries pfd. were down ¼ to ½.

Senior golds remained steady, and losses of five cents or more came out for Kerr-Addison, Malartic Gold Fields, Madsen, Beattie and Cariboo. Sigma lost 20 cents.

Smelters and Noranda had minor gains and Normetal firmed a cent. Slight weakness was displayed by Steep Rock, Pend Oreille and Nickel.

Ajax declined 10 cents to 1.30, and insignificant losses were boarded by Anglo-Canadian, British-Dominion, Mid-Continent and Vermilata.

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

(Hagar Investments, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Associated Breweries	21	22½
Bathurst "A"	14⅞	15
Bell Telephone		156
Brazilian	22⅞	23
B.A. Oil	21—	21⅛
B.C. Power "A"	23¼	23½
Can. Car & Fdy.	8⅞	9
Can. Car & Fdy. pfd. old	27½	
Can. Car & Fdy. pfd. new	25	25½
Can. Steamships	10¼	11
Can. Steamships pfd.	34½	35
Can. Canners "A"	23½	24
Can. Canners "B"	12	12¼
Can. Celanese	37½	38
C.P.R.	10½	10¾
Consolidated Paper	6⅞	6½
Consolidated Smelters	48	49½
Distillers-Seagrams	34	35¼
Dominion Bridge	23½	23¾
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	7½	7¾
Ford of Canada "A"	23½	24
Gatineau	8½	9
Gatineau pfd.	85	86
Goodyear	85	90
Hiram Walker	57	57¼
Hiram Walker, pfd.	21	21¾
Imperial Oil	13½	13¾
Intl. Nickel	29⅞	30
Intl. Petroleum	21½	21¾
Loblaw "A"	23¼	24
Loblaw "B"	21¼	22
McColl-Frontenac		8½
McColl-Frontenac, pfd.	103½	105
Massey-Harris	8	8¼
Massey-Harris, pfd.	20	20¼
Montreal Power	21⅞	22
National Breweries	34	34½
National Steel Car, new	13	13¼
Power "A"	23½	25
Shawinigan	15⅞	15¾
Simpson's, pfd.	103½	105½
Steel of Canada		64
Steel of Canada, pfd.	49½	
United Steel	4	4½
Weston, George, com.	14½	
Weston, George, pfd.	101	105

MINING SECTION

(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Aldermac			13½b
Anglo-Huronian	6.25	6.00	6.00
Armistice	48½	48	48
Aunor	3.80	3.70	3.75
Bagamac	.20	.18	18½
Base Metals			1.10
Bear Exploration	.51	.50	.51
Beattie	2.22	2.17	2.20
Bidgood Kirkland	.55	.52½	.53
Bobjo			09½
Bonetal			.21
Bralorne	11.87½	11.75	11.87½
Broulan Porcupine	.83	.81	.81
Buffalo Ankerite			4.15
C. & E.			2.05
Canadian Malartic			.70b
Cariboo Gold Q.			1.70
Castle Trethn			.95
Central Patricia	1.85	1.82	1.85
Cochenour Willans	1.98	1.91	1.95
Chesterville	1.72	1.62	1.65
Cons. Smelters			40.37½
Consuram			1.80
Dome			21.00
East Malartic	1.89	1.82	1.87
Falconbridge			3.35b
Francoeur			.40
God's Lake	.20	.19½	.20
Goldale			.17
Golden Gate	.13	.12	.13
Gunnar Gold			18½b
Haljar			1.65b
Hard Rock	1.12	1.10	1.12
Hedley Mascot			.44
Hollinger	11.60	11.37½	11.50
Home Oil	3.45	3.40	3.40
Honey			.09
Hudson Bay M. & S.			28.50
Intl. Nickel	30.12½	30.00	30.00
Jason			.12
Kerr Addison			9.45
Kirkland Lake	1.10	1.07	1.07
Lake Default			.82
Lakeshore			15.75b
Lamaque G.			6.10
Leitch Gold	1.18	1.16	1.17
Little Long Lac	1.12	1.05	1.05
Macassa			3.75
Madsen Red Lake	1.85	1.80	1.85
Malartic Goldfields	3.80	3.55	3.60
Mining Corpn.	1.99	1.98	1.99
McKenzie Red Lake	1.45	1.43	1.43
McWatters			.20b
McIntyre			59.12½b
McLeod Cockshutt	2.41	2.38	2.38
Moneta			.40
Nesbitt			16½
Newlands	2.75	2.70	2.75
Noranda	51.00	50.50	50.50
Normetal			.76
O'Brien	1.60	1.55	1.60
Omega	.34	.31	.31
Pamour	1.32	1.30	1.30
Paymaster	.37	.34½	.37
Pend Oreille			1.45b
Perron Gold	1.62	1.61	1.62
Pickle Crow	2.17	2.12	2.17
Pioneer			2.40
Powell Rouyn	1.45	1.42	1.42
Premier			.97
Preston East Dome	2.67	2.65	2.65
Quemsticon	1.18	1.11	1.11
San Antonio			3.75
Senator Rouyn	.48	.45	.45
Sherritt-Gordon			.72
Sheep Creek	1.03	1.00	1.00
Sigma			8.80
Siscoe			.58
Sladen Malartic	.70	.68	.68
Steep Rock	2.20	2.15	2.15
Sudbury Basin			3.00b
Sullivan	1.71	1.66	1.71
Sylvanite	2.25	2.20	2.25
Teck-Hughes			2.60
Toburn			16.50b
Upper Canada	2.37	2.31	2.34
Ventures			8.30b
Waite Amulet			4.70
Wright-Hargreaves			2.20

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 4 (AP).—Divergent trends developed in the grain market today with rye displaying easiness, oats exhibiting strength and wheat holding steady. Rye was down about a cent at one time on commission house and local selling but recovered some of its loss. Local firms received reports of large sales of Canadian wheat to the Commidity Credit Corporation.

Modern Miller, a trade publication, said Winter wheat unquestionably was in a much better situation as a result of recent moisture, but good rains were needed in the Spring.

At the close, wheat was unchanged to 1-2 lower, May $1.70 5-8 to $1.70 3-4; oats were up 1-8 to 3-8, May 80 1-2; rye was down 5-8 to 1 cent, May $1.29 3-8 to $1.29 1-2, and barley was 1-4 lower, May $1.22 1-8.

CARLOADINGS REPORTED

OTTAWA, Feb. 4 (CP).—Carloadings for the week ended January 29 totaled 60,070 cars against 70,011 in the previous week and 58,221 in the corresponding week last year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today. Western division loadings increased from 17,526 cars to 28,826, while Eastern division loadings increased from 40,095 to 43,244. The carloadings index was 157.1 in the week ended January 29, 156.8 in the previous week and 130.5 in the corresponding week of 1943.

Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP).—There was little activity on Vancouver Exchange today, with both mines and oils holding steady. Total turnover was 17,220 shares.

Premier Border climbed a fraction to 4¼. Sheep Creek was down 1 at 1.03 and Pend Oreille was unchanged at 1.50.

Okalta climbed a fraction to 4½ and Vanalta, unchanged, closed at 7¼.

(Mars, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

OILS	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	.04⅞	.04⅞
Anglo-Can.	.59	.63
A.P. Con.	.11	.14
British Dom.	.70	
C. & E. Corpn.	2.05	2.10
Calmont	.21½	.24
Commoil	.13½	
Commonwealth	.29	.31
Dalhousie	.22	.40
Davies Pete.	.12	.16
East Crest	.09	.11
Foothills	1.30	1.40
Highwood Sarcee	.11	
Home Oil	3.35	3.45
Madison	.01⅝	.03
Mercury	.06½	.07½
McDougal Segur	.06½	.07
Mill City	.06½	
Model	.21	.22
National Pete.	.08	.10
Ocalta	.64	.65
Pacalta	.03½	.04
Pacific Pete.	.45	.48
Royal Can.	.04	.05
Royalite	.20	
United Oil	.05½	.06½
Vanalta	.07½	.08
Vulcan	.12	
MINES		
Bayonne Cons.	.04	.04½
Bralorne	11.25	11.45
Cariboo Gold	1.60	1.70
Golconda	.05	
Gold Belt	.25	
Grandview	.11	
Grull Wihkone	.62½	.63½
Hedley Mascot	.45	.48
Island Mt.	1.00	1.10
Kootenay Belle		.27
Pacific Nickel	.07	
Pend Oreille	1.45	1.60
Pioneer	2.41	2.45
Premier Border	.04½	.04⅞
Premier	.95	1.00
Privateer	.37	.38½
Quatsino Copper	.02⅝	.03
Reeves McDonald	.30	.35
Rena	.04½	.05½
Sheep Creek	1.03	1.05
Silbace Premier	.80	.83
Surf Inlet	.10	.12
Taylor Bridge	.04½	
Twin Butte		.04½
Ymir Yenk	.02½	
MISCELLANEOUS		
Capital Estates	3.00	3.50
Coast Breweries	1.58	1.63
United Distillers	2.30	

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, Feb. 4 (CP).—Price Bros. turned a gain into a loss on today's market and also down were St. Lawrence Corporation "A," Fraser Voting and International Paper. Dryden and Anaconda firmed a bit.

Calgary Power preferred, Montreal Power, Ottawa Electric and Brazilian were pointed up and Power Corporation, Montreal Tramways, Canada Northern Power and Winnipeg Electric slipped.

Stronger industrials included International Bronze, Canadian Car and Building Products. In arrears were Algoma, Locomotive, General Steel Wares, Ford and Dosco "B." National Steel Car retrieved a dip. Aluminum was easier.

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Can. Investment Fund		4.00
Can. Bank of Commerce	134	138
Dominion Bank	160	162
Bank of Montreal	151	
Bank of Nova Scotia	237	
Royal Bank	137	139
Bank of Toronto	232	
Abitibi, Com.	2⅞	3⅞
Abitibi, Pfd.	32½	32¾
Agnew Surpass	14	
Aluminum, Com.	92	94
Aluminum, Pfd.	97½	98
Asbestos Corpn.	22⅞	23⅞
Associated Breweries	21	22½
Bathurst Paper	14⅞	15
Bridges Corticelli	92	
Bell Telephone		156
Brazilian Traction	22⅞	23
B.A. Oil	21	21⅝
B.C. Packers	23½	24½
B.C. Power "A"	22½	23⅞
Building Products	16⅞	17
Bulolo Gold	18½	
Can. Cement	6⅞	7
Can. & Dom. Sugar	20	20½
Can. Malting	44	45
Can. Nor. Power	8½	8¾
Can. Steamship, Com.	10½	11
Can. Steamship, Pfd.	34⅞	35
Can. Breweries, Com.	5⅞	6
Can. Breweries, Pfd.	42½	43
Can. Bronze	33	34½
Canners	8⅞	
Can. Car & Fdry., Com.	8⅞	9
Can. Car & Fdry., Pfd.	25	25½
Can. Celanese, Com.	37½	38
Can. Converters	40	50
Can. General Electric	20⅞	
Can. Industrial Alcohol	5⅞	5⅞
Can. Locomotive	31	
C.P.R.	10½	10⅝
Can. Vickers	6⅞	8½
Cockshutt Plow	11	11⅞
Consolidated Bakeries	15½	15½
Consolidated Paper	6⅞	6⅞
Crown Cork	29	30
Distillers-Seagrams	34	35⅞
Dominion Bridge	23½	25½
Dominion Engineering	26	27½
Dominion Steel & Coal	7½	7⅞
Dominion Stores	10	
Dominion Tar & Chemical	8⅞	8½
Dominion Textile	72	73
Dryden Paper	7⅞	7⅞
Fairchild Aircraft	3½	3
First Aircraft	3½	4
Ford of Canada	23⅞	24
Fraser Company	20	22½
Gatineau Power	8½	9
General Steelwares	11⅞	12
Goodyear Tire		86
Gypsum Lime	6⅞	7⅞
Hamilton Bridge	5½	5⅞
Howard Smith	15½	15⅞
Imperial Oil	13⅞	13⅞
Imperial Tobacco	11⅞	11⅞
Intl. Bronze Powder		14
Intl. Nickel	29⅞	30
Intl. Petroleum	21½	21½
Intl. Utilities "A"	22⅞	23
Lake of the Woods	23½	25
Laura Secord	13½	14⅞
Loblaw "A"	23½	24
Massey-Harris, Com.	8	8½
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	20	20⅞
McColl-Frontenac, Com.		8½
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	102½	105
Robert Mitchell	16⅞	17
Montreal Power	21⅞	22
National Steel Car	13	13⅞
Ogilvie Flour Mills	23½	25
Page Hersey		97
Penmans, Ltd.	51	52
Power Corpn.	7	7⅞
Price Bros.	22⅞	23
Quebec Power	13⅞	14
Shawinigan	15⅞	15⅞
Sherwin-Williams		16
South Can. Power	10½	11
St. Lawrence Corpn. Pfd.	14⅞	16⅞
Steel of Can., Com.		64
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	69⅞	
Tooke Bros.	150	
United Steel	4	4½
Walker, Gooderham	57	57⅞
Walker, Gooderham, Pfd.	21	21⅞
West. Grocers	50⅞	64
West. Can. Flour, Com.	4½	4⅞
West. Can. Flour, Pfd.	79	80
George Weston	15⅞	16
Winnipeg Electric, Com.	6½	6⅞
Winnipeg Electric, Pfd.	63⅞	65

Corporation Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5%, 1953	78.00	81.33
Acadia Sugar 6%, 1934	100.50	104.50
Assoc. Tel. & Tel. 5½%, 1955	94.50	
B.C. Pulp 6%, 1950	97.00	100.00
Brown Co. 5%, 1955	84.75	88.00
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	113.50	116.33
Canada Cement 4½%, 1951	100.00	106.00
Canada Steamship 5%, 1957	100.00	107.00
C.P.R. 5%%, 1931	101.00	103.00
Can. Vickers 6%, 1947	94.00	97.00
Famous Players 4½%, 1951	100.00	
Gatineau Power 5%, 1949	102.50	104.50
Maple Leaf 5%, 1949	100.50	104.00
Massey-Harris 4½%, 1934	101.50	103.50
McColl-Frontenac 4½%, 1949	103.00	106.00
Shawinigan 4%, 1961	102.00	106.00
Simpson's, Ltd. 4½%, 1951	101.50	105.50
Twin City 5½%, 1953	104.00	108.00

Canada's Honor Roll

Army

OTTAWA.—The Canadian Army in its 419th list named the following Western Canada casualties:

OFFICERS

KILLED IN ACTION

Manitoba Regiment—Lieut. David Christopher Cottingham, Vancouver.

British Columbia Regiment—Lieut. William Fraser McLellan, [illegible] Smith, Vancouver; Capt. Thomas Cullen Brown Vance, Calgary.

WOUNDED

British Columbia Regiment—Lieut. Douglas Monroe Disney, Kelowna; Lieut. William Richard Hyndman, West Vancouver.

Alberta Regiment—Capt. Gilbert Thompson Blair, Drake, Sask.; Lieut. Frederick Gale, Calgary; Lieut. Kenneth Louis William Scott, Calgary.

MISSING

Saskatchewan Regiment — Lieut. William George Cook, Oliver.

OTHER RANKS

KILLED IN ACTION

Manitoba Regiment—Pte. Robert Cowie, Winnipeg; Pte. Harold Hayes, Winnipeg; Pte. Roy Ernest Johns, Edmonton; Pte. Halfdan Solbert Emile Renaud, Riverton, Man.

British Columbia Regiment—Pte. James Lawrence Beads, Vancouver; Pte. Ralph Grant Lebeau, Vancouver; L.-Cpl. George Lynn McParlon, Bralorne; Tpr. George Duncan Randall, Vancouver; Pte. James Henry Joseph Squire, Deep Cove; Pte. Norman Yates, Vancouver.

Saskatchewan Regiment — Pte. William Earl Dahl, Prince Albert, Sask.

Alberta Regiment — Pte. Ernest Briault, Fabyan, Alta.; A.-Cpl. Leofwine Rene Channel, Calgary; Cpl. Phillip Glaude, Edmonton; A.-L.-Cpl. Woodrow Wilson Grice, New Westminster; Pte. Frank William Hansen, Calgary; Pte. Robert Levenington, Edmonton; Pte. Melville Edgar Madden, Lacombe, Alta.; Pte. George Rich, Edmonton; Pte. James [illegible] don Tough, Tofield, Alta.; Pte. Peter Versailles, Grande Prairie, Alta.; Pte. John Wallis, Edmonton.

DIED OF WOUNDS

Western Ontario Regiment—Cpl. Desmond Henry Blackman, North Battleford, Sask.

DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED

British Columbia Regiment—Pte. Douglas Weslie Barr, Blue River, B.C.; L.-Cpl. Steven Lewis Edgett, Kelowna.

Alberta Regiment — L.-Cpl. Timothy Michael Canty, Shaunavon, Sask.; A.-Cpl. Robert Brown Knox, Edmonton.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Pte. Frederick Hector Rees, Hillcrest, Alta.

WOUNDED

R.C.A. — Gnr. John Campbell, Winnipeg.

Infantry — Sgt. William Edward Ellington, John William Ellington (father), care Canadian Legion, Victoria.

Manitoba Regiment—Pte. Henry Alma Blake, Flin Flon; L.-Cpl. William George Davey, Winnipeg; A.-L.-Cpl. Patrick Richard Ellis, Portage la Prairie, Man.; Pte. Alexander Harold Kennedy, Brandon; L.-Cpl. William Alexander McKinnon, Winnipeg; Pte. Norman Simion Poitras, Weekes, Sask.; Pte. Leslie Wilson, St. Rose du Lac, Man.

British Columbia Regiment—Pte. Kenneth Irven Hamilton, Cloverdale; Pte. Alexander Aiken McKay, Niel Aiken McKay (father), R.R. No. 1, Victoria; Pte. Hector Griffin McNevin, Grand Forks; Pte. Thomas Highmoor Miller, K62116, Mrs. Barbara Miller (wife), c.o. Mrs. W. R. Newman, Hurtmor P.O., Godalming, Surrey, England; John Highmore [illegible] Miller (father), Box 111, Alberni; Pte. Ford Anthony Moran, Prince Rupert; L.-Cpl. Robert Francis Joseph Murray, Vancouver; A.-L.-Cpl. Robert J. Pringle Vancouver; Cpl. Thomas Henry Smith, Mrs. Margaret Smith (mother), 2183 Guernsey Street, Victoria.

Saskatchewan Regiment — Cpl.

Social and Personal

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ricardo, Vernon, are spending three weeks holidaying in the city.

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Miss Mary Beale, Vancouver, has returned to the Mainland after visiting in the city for a few days.

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Lieut. John Boak, R.C.N.V.R., will leave today for Eastern Canada to continue his training with the Fleet Air Arm.

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Miss Joanne Kyle has returned from an extended visit to Eastern Canada and has taken up residence at the Empress Hotel.

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Assistant Section Officer Betty E. Cottet, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), has graduated as an honor student from O.T.C. in Toronto, and has been posted to Aylmer, Ont.

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Mrs. Frank Coleman and her baby daughter, Frances Loretta, are visiting her parents, Major and Mrs. G. C. Holland, 1179 Munro Street, prior to joining W.O.2 Coleman at a West Coast station.

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Lieut. Stirling R. Irving will arrive on Monday and will be the guest of his sister, Miss Gladys Irving, Terrace Avenue. His marriage to Miss Eleanor Heisterman will take place on Wednesday.

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Mrs. C. Balmer McAllister entertained at luncheon on Friday at the Empress Hotel, when her guests were Mrs. J. Sutherland, of Brantford; Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. J. M. Savage and Mrs. L. C. Charlesworth.

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Mrs. Clifford N. Whipple, Macleod, Alta., is arriving today with her two little daughters to spend a month with her mother, Mrs. Claude Gardiner, Faithful Street. Mrs. Walter Pursey, Seattle, will also be the guest of Mrs. Gardiner for a week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Smedley have returned to their home in Port Angeles after spending the week-end with Mr. F. Crowe, 3368 Douglas Street. Mr. Crowe also has visiting him his daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. L. Crowe, Hartney, Manitoba, for a few weeks.

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Air Vice-Marshal L. S. Stevenson, C.B., R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Stevenson have been staying with his niece, Miss Gladys Irving, Terrace Avenue. The Air Vice-Marshal returned to Vancouver on Friday night and Mrs. Stevenson will remain in Victoria to attend the wedding of Miss Eleanor Heisterman to Lieut. Stirling R. Irving, U.S. Army, which will take place on Wednesday at which the Air Vice-Marshal will also be present.

Unusual Canary Tea To Be Wednesday

A collection of registered roller canaries will be heard on Wednesday afternoon at a canary tea being held in the I.O.O.F. Hall by the Carne Rebekah Lodge. The birds wil be loaned by P. W. Smoothy, well-known breeder and lover of canaries, who donated one of the singers as a door prize. All proceeds will aid the war effort fund.

JOCK McLEAN MARRIES

DALLAS, Feb. 4 (AP).—John Randolph (Jock) McLean, 28, son of Mrs. Evalyn McLean, owner of the famed Hope Diamond, was married in Durant, Okla., shortly after midnight Monday to Mrs. Elizabeth Brooke Reeves, 27, of New York, Mrs. Townsend Burden, of Dallas, said today.

Engagements

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at The Colonist Advertising Department. Minimum charge $1.50 for 10 lines, and 15c for each additional line.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cooper, of Wale Road, Colwood, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Effie, to Colin Clifton Cameron, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cameron, of 1340 Craigflower Road, Victoria, B.C. The marriage will take place quietly on March 11, 1944.

Royal Guest and Hosts Pictured Informally

—Exclusive Picture by Staff Photographer.

Her Royal Highness the Princess Juliana of The Netherlands With Her Hosts, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward, Chatting Informally in the Drawing-Room of Government House on the Arrival of the Royal Visitor Prior to the Luncheon Attended by Nine Guests on Friday.

Lt.-Governor and Mrs. Woodward Hosts At Dinner at Government House

Her Royal Highness the Princess Juliana was guest of honor at a dinner Friday night at Government House when His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward entertained for their Royal visitor.

Presented to Her Royal Highness and attending the dinner were Lord Bishop of British Columbia and Mrs. Sexton; His Excellency Most Rev. J. C. Cody, Bishop of Victoria; Viscountess Byng of Vimy; Major-General G. R. Pearkes, V.C., and Mrs. Pearkes; Rear Admiral and Mrs. Victor Brodeur; Air Vice-Marshal and Mrs. L. F. Stevenson; Captain W. J. M. Watson Armstrong; Mrs. D. G. Steeves, M.L.A.; Major and Mrs. Glen C. Holland; Mr. J. Van Stappen; Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Tets; Lieutenant-Commander Hew Paterson; Miss Ruth MacLean; Captain H. G. Cromack.

Centring the dinner table were three silver bowls containing mixed daffodils, and casting a soft glow over the white damask cloth were lighted yellow candles in silver candelabra. During dinner music was played in the ballroom by members of the Royal Canadian Navy Orchestra.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor proposed the toasts to "The King" and to "The Queen of The Netherlands."

Her Royal Highness wore a floor-length gown of black crepe, trimmed with jet, carried from the shoulder to the hem of her gown, which was low-necked, and had off-the-shoulder sleeves. In her light brown hair she wore an ornament of three golden butterflies centred with rubies, and wings of diamonds. Princess Juliana wore a round diamond necklace, and on her left shoulder a Norwegian Air Force diamond brooch, and below this a gold spray of five marguerites, with ruby centres and diamond petals.

Mrs. W. C. Woodward chose for the occasion a floor-length gown of pale grey chiffon, the charm and beauty of her dress lying in its simplicity, with a plain V-neck. Her jewelry included a square diamond brooch, and three strands of pearls.

The gentlemen wore service dress and dinner jackets, and His Honor also wore the "Princess Margriet Pond" pin.

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Red Cross Notes

RECEIVES SCREEN

The screen made and donated by Miss A. Pooley to the Esquimalt Unit of the Canadian Red Cross Society, has ben presented to Mrs. Waldron, Carey Road, Saanich.

CAPTURE PARCELS

Information has just been received by the Red Cross that the London office of the Canadian Red Cross Society is sending special capture parcels to Canadian prisoners of war on arrival from Italy at German camps. The British Red Cross is issuing boots, greatcoats, battledress and next of kin are advised to send underwear and woolens in next quarterly parcel.

Mrs. Burroughes Dies

Word has been received of the death in Eire on January 31 of Mrs. Emily Burroughes, widow of Harry Burroughes, and former resident of Victoria, being the daughter of the late Hon. Robert Dunsmuir, and sister of the late Hon. James Dunsmuir, one-time lieutenant-governor of British Columbia.

and the municipal councils, which will directly affect life in this communtiy. Committees have been set up and are now collecting material to present.

NAVY RECRUIT HONORED

Mr. Gordon Shea, who recently joined the Royal Canadian Navy, was guest of honor when about 30 of his friends held a farewell party at McMorran's Pavilion. A sit-down supper at a table decorated in the red, white and blue theme, and dancing was enjoyed. Mr. Shea has two brothers in the Canadian Army overseas and one brother training with the R.C.A.F. in Canada.

Spinsters Are Jolly Hostesses

The Spinsters' Ball has come and gone for another year and in its wake is the assurance that the Junior Women's Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital was successful in its annual major campaign for raising funds. Over 375 dancers crowded the crystal ballroom of the Empress Hotel, and looking at the scene of "turnabout" — girls taking the boys—it was one of unusual merriment. The proceeds will go to furnish the servicemen's ward at the hospital.

The dance was convened by Miss Gladwyn Beasley and Miss Claudia Jesse, and a floor show was presented by the senior pupils of Wynne Shaw's School of the Ballet.

Those attending included Miss Claudia Jesse, Mr. Jack Robbins, Miss Gladwyn Beasley, Lieut. Jean Paul Robitaille, R.C.N.V.R.; Miss Helen Baird, Lieut. S. Israel, United States Army Air Force; Miss Catherine Johnston, Lieut. Bill Noble, Miss Kay McIntyre, P.O. Eric Wiseman, R.C.A.F.; Miss Barbara Whittome, Lieut. John Boak, F.O. Charles Day, R.C.A.F.; Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Connell, Miss Thea Arbuthnot, Lieut. Derek Phillips, Miss Bunty Chatham, Mr. Ralph Bagley, Miss Betty Robinson, Lieut. Gibson Smith, R.C.N.V.R.; Mrs. Carron B. Jameson, Jr.; Dr. F. M. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. J. Buckingham, Miss Eileen Munroe, Mr. Bill Milburn, Miss Isabel Shillabeere, Mr. Bill Schenk, Miss Marion Jones, Capt. J. W. Jamieson, Miss Betty Southern, Capt. Frank Milligan, Miss Kay Ellison, P.O. Pat Boyle, R.C.A.F.; Miss Gloria Horsford, F.O. Bill Peters, Miss Eleanor Kingham, W.O.1 Bert Kenney, Miss Beverley Armstrong, P.O. Jimmy Wickens, F.O. and Mrs. E. Holmes, Miss Jean Ray, Mr. Miller Bell, Miss Myrtle Cook, Mr. Ted Maitland, Miss Nancy Stephenson, Mr. Lloyd Main, Miss Peggy McVie and Lieut. Bill Ketcheson.

The Princess Juliana Greets Hollanders Here

PAYING heartfelt tribute to Her Royal Highness Princess Juliana of The Netherlands and with poignant memories of the Low Countries, between 75 and 100 Hollanders joined in the Dutch National Anthem that brought to a close the reception held at Government House Friday afternoon, when Her Royal Highness' countrymen and women had the opportunity of being presented to the Royal visitor.

Her Royal Highness received the guests in the drawing-room, which was beautifully decorated with great sprays of plum blossom and masses of hothouse plants and Spring flowers. Presenting the guests was Mr. W. van Tets, secretary to Princess Juliana, and also receiving was Mrs. van Tets, Capt. W. J. M. Watson-Armstrong, British Columbia consul-general for the Netherlands, and also in attendance was Major Glen C. Holland, vice-consul.

TEA SERVED IN BALLROOM

Following the presentation, tea was served in the ballroom, the long table, covered with a handsome cutwork cloth, being centred with a silver bowl containing daffodils, and on either side tall yellow tapers in silver candelabra. Presiding at the table was Miss Ruth MacLean, private secretary to Mrs. W. C. Woodward, and Mrs. R. E. Ciceri, assistant private secretary at Government House.

Her Royal Highness wore a beige crepe street-length dress, buttoned on the side with dark amber buttons, centred with a gold motif. Her light brown hair was waved naturally off her forehead, and clustered in soft curls at the back of her head. Her Royal Highness wore very handsome diamond earrings, and diamond rings, and a corsage bouquet of baby iris.

Princess Juliana was served tea, and chatted informally with the guests, after which Mr. Pierre Timp, accompanied by Mrs. Timp, delighted the assembly with two Dutch folk songs, "Smorgens Vroig" and "Myne Moedertaal."

IMPRESSIVE SINGING

As Her Royal Highness withdrew from the ballroom a few of the guests commenced to sing, unaccompanied, their National Anthem, and immediately the remainder joined in the very impressive chorus. This was followed by the singing of a Dutch folk song, after which Her Royal Highness bowed to the assembled guests, and retired.

Mrs. W. C. Woodward, who mingled with the guests in the ballroom, was attractively gowned in a floor-length black chiffon gown, with high neckline marked by a diamente decoration. Capt. J. G. Cromack was in attendance.

Mrs. Glen C. Holland, wife of the Victoria vice-consul for The Netherlands, and their daughter, Mrs. Frank Coleman, were also present.

Comments were heard throughout the room from admirers, who said: "Her Royal Highness is a very charming person," and "Princess Juliana is so natural and sweet."

Mrs. Dorothy Gretchen Steeves, M.L.A. (C.C.F., North Vancouver), who was born in Holland, having a Dutch father and an English mother, had a long personal chat with Her Royal Highness. Since they had both attended the same university—Leyden—there was a bond of interest, and Princess Juliana evidenced her optimistic outlook when she told Mrs. Steeves she hoped the next "Lustrum," which occurs in 1945, would be held in her country as usual, and in peacetime. The "Lustrum" is celebrated every five years to celebrate an historical pageant.

Mr. John Roskamp elicited interest on being presented to Her Royal Highness, who asked how long he had been in Canada. "Since 1878," replied Mr. Roskamp, and told the Princess his home had been Hanglo.

Among the guests many medals were worn. Lt. F. H. Staverman appeared with the Militaire Willemsorde, Royal Netherland Navy (retired). He now makes his home at Langford, and his decoration is similar to the British V.C. He received his medal in 1901 when in the Dutch East Indies, he related.

There were also servicewomen in their uniforms, Sgt. J. M. Akkerman, C.W.A.C., looking handsome and fit, and relating that her husband is in the Dutch army, and one son is with the Canadian army.

Mrs. Cateau Van Rosevelt Kerr was another interesting guest who talked with the Princess Juliana. She came to Victoria some 14 years ago from Java, and, in answer to a question concerning the "Rosevelt" name, said her grandfather and "Teddy" Roosevelt were cousins.

Mr. E. Heybroek, wearing the ribbon of the Order of the Knights of Orange Nassau, and Mrs. Heybroek also chatted with the Princess. Mr. Heybroek was given his medal by Her Majesty Queen Wilhelmina for special service to the country.

Mr. Derek Vanderbent, who was assigned to The Netherlands Merchant Marine at the outbreak of war is at present on leave in Canada and attended the reception with his wife, Mrs. Vanderbent, a Canadian residing in Burnaby. Mr. Vanderbent is a gunner with the Merchant Navy.

Lending a colorful note was little Sandrina Van Alphen, who attended with her mother and two sisters, Betty May and Adrianna. Her father is at present in Toronto as a technician in the Children's Hospital. Sandrina presented Princess Juliana with a bouquet of flowers at her arrival at the C.P.R. dock on Friday morning. Adrianna's costume was an authentic Volendam and she made a picturesque figure in her white stiff lace bonnet and brightly colored dress with the basque bodice and full skirt.

The reception was the first gathering in Victoria of The Netherlands colony in such a number. This it was said, greatly pleased Princess Juliana.

Guests present at the reception included:

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Heybroek, Mr. and Mrs. Eakens, Mr. J. van Maanen, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Klomp, Mr. and Mrs. W. Semeyn, Mr. and Mrs. H. Staverman, Mr. H. Moonen, Nicholaas Morsal, Mr. Pierre Timp, Mr. Jacobus Schop, Messerschmidt & Sons, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. B. Mel, Mr. E. A. Kan, Mrs. Horatio Nelson Kerr, Mr. L. J. Eekman (Consul for Belgium), Mr. H. M. Hennequin, Miss C. C. Zuur, Rev. Father Geukers, Mr. Phil Eggersman, Mr. Jan Diemer, Mrs. James Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Mensen, Mrs. Dorothy Steeves, M.L.A., Mr. L. Bernard Vreeman, The Netherland Consul and Mrs. Holland and Mrs. Coleman, Mr. A. J. S. van Alphen, Sister M. Colette, Dr. and Mrs. van Riemsdijk (Ex-Consul General, Winnipeg), Mr. and Mrs. L. E. van Nes, Mrs. W. F. van Muhster, Mr. and Mrs. W. Atema, Mrs. W. H. van Druten, Miss A. F. Cofflard, Mrs. W. A. M. Laming, Mrs. H. Kelly, Mr. B. Pronk, Rev. Father W. Lemmens, A. J. Mulder, P. Gubbels, Miss M. Bierman van Dyke, K. Spoor, Mrs. J. M. Ahkerman, C. Veerman, C. J. van der Nat, C. van Cleemput, John H. W. Roskamp, Hans M. Horsting, Martin van der Weide, H. Detz, T. G. Horsting, Barend J. Heide, Albert van Unen, Mrs. W. E. Duiven van Gorcum, Mrs. W. H. Beutalspacher (daughter), Mr. and Mrs. Stollery (daughter of van Atema, Sapper J. A. Oken.

Honors for Brides-Elect

On Wednesday evening, Mrs. Kenneth Wills, a recent bride, and Miss Marguerite Dirom, who is being married this month, were the guests of honor at a delightful party held at the home of Miss P. Pearce, 620 Simcoe Street. The hostesses were Mrs. J. Lambie, Miss Isobel Millar and Miss Patricia Pearce. The honorees sat under an arch composed of ivy, pussy willow and golden chrysanthemums and were presented with wall mirrors for their new homes. Games were then enjoyed and a buffet supper was served later. The lace-covered table was centred with a low pottery bowl of gold chrysanthemums and pussy willows and lighted by gold tapers in crystal holders. Mrs. Lamble and Miss Pearce presided. The invited guests were Mrs. A. Griffin, Mrs. A. Wills, Mrs. J. Dirom, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Faichen, Mrs. Chester, Mrs. Sharpe, Mrs. Harper, Mrs. McArthur, Miss A. Digby and the Misses Flora Spurrier, Margaret Jones, Mary Scott, Dorothy Blenkinsopp, Elsie Ross, Kathleen Dirom, Phyllis Roberts, Mae Muschamp, Valerie Burnett, Olive Mycock, Lillian Clement, Georgina Russell, Nettie Millar and Dorothy Wills.

Mrs. A. I. Spurgin Is Head of C.A.S.W.

At the annual meeting of the Victoria Branch of the Canadian Association of Social Workers the following members were elected to office: president, Mrs. A. I. Spurgin; vice-president, Miss M. Gould; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. G. Hughes; committee chairman, membership, Miss I. K. Lothian; programme, Miss M. Foster; ethics, Miss R. Kirkendale; publicity, Miss J. Cameron, and branch representative to the national council, Miss A. L. Mess. Reports on the various activities taking place during the year were read, including the study programme. This year the branch is studying the various postwar social plans, as have been suggested by the Federal and Provincial Governments

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St. Mark's W.A.

St. Mark's W.A. will meet in the parish hall on Tuesday.

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W.A. to M.S.C.C.

A meeting of the Sooke W.A. to the M.S.C.C. of Holy Trinity Church, was held at the home of Mrs. J. P. Noury recently with Mrs. E. Gates presiding.

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Golden Link Auxiliary

Golden Link Evening Auxiliary of First United Church met recently. The members met for a box supper at 6 o'clock, followed by a business meeting with Miss H. A. Dawson in the chair. Miss Pearl More read the annual report for 1943, covering the year's work under the leadership of Mrs. J. A. Skillern.

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Canadian Daughters

Canadian Daughters' League met at the Shrine Hall Thursday evening, Mrs. H. S. Hewitt presiding. Mrs. G. H. Gardiner read excerpts from an article, "Victory in Aluminum." Members were requested to turn in Red Cross work by March 1. Plans were made to hold a military whist, February 17 at 8 o'clock in aid of the Russian Relief Fund, to be convened by Mrs. G. H. Gardiner. The executive will meet February 24 at the home of Mrs. N. Craig, 766 Kings Road.

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Chiselers' Club

Mrs. Robert Bullen was hostess recently to the members of the Chiselers' Bridge Club at her home on Earl Grey Street. Prizes were won by Mrs. Robert Livesay and Mrs. Kenneth Scott. Each member brought a gift towards a layette to be donated to the Victoria West Good Neighbors' Club. Other members present were: Mrs. Reuben Cartwright, Mrs. Thomas Newnham, Mrs. Harry Williams, Mrs. Robert Stewart, Miss Betty Lansdell. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss B. Lansdell, Graham Street.

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W.A. to Canadian Scottish

A meeting of W.A. to Canadian Scottish Regiment was held on Wednesday with the president, Mrs. S. J. McDonald, in the chair. Heads of committees were appointed: Mrs. F. Dyment, wool; Mrs. W. G. Talbot, cigarettes; Mrs. R. D. Harvey, match books; Mrs. W. R. Russell, welfare; Mrs. MacNeill, soldiers' parcels; Mrs. J. R. Kingham, shipments. A survey of the financial statement shows that the W.A. has expended the sum of $4,440.12 on comforts for the regiment during the years 1942 and 1943. A shipment of wool comforts was received by the auxiliary from Miss Tyre and her group of knitters, of the Cowichan Lake district. Mrs. Russell read a letter received from overseas from the wife of one of our men in England gratefully acknowledging receipt of a parcel of baby clothes. Mrs. Rupert Guthrie has been appointed to head a committee whose duties will be to assist in the welfare of the men of the regiment returning from overseas.

SLEAFORD, England (CP).—Edith, Dowager Countess of Winchilsea and Nottingham, died in this Lincolnshire town, aged 88. She was the widow of the 12th earl, who died in 1898.

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MR. AND MRS. JAMES WILBY

WHO will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Monday and will be "at home" to their friends at their home at 180 Montreal Street. Mr. and Mrs. Wilby were married on February 7, 1894, in Victoria by Rev. P. McF. Macleod. Mr. Wilby was born in Esquimalt. Mrs. Wilby was the former Sara Flemming and was born in Folly Mountain, N.S. They have four children living in Victoria and the youngest daughter lives in Birtland, Wash. There are seven grandchildren and four of the boys are in the services. Mr. Wilby was in the Government printing department for over 30 years.

Netherlands Princess Occupies Royal Suite

HER Royal Highness the Princess Juliana of The Netherlands while a guest at Government House will occupy the Royal Suite. Her secretary and acting lady-in-waiting, Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Tets, will occupy an adjoining suite.

The Princess Juliana's boudoir is bright with flowers—a cluster of red tulips, and a larger bouquet of daffodils and blue iris, both tied with ribbons of the House of Orange, and presented to Her Royal Highness on her arrival here yesterday. The royal suite, with grey, mauve and silver colorings, and bright chintz and purple satin spreads was occupied by His Majesty when he visited Victoria in 1939.

The Royal Standard yesterday floated from the flagpole at Government House, and the vivid red carpet covering the steps leading to the entrance was a brilliant touch of color on a somewhat subdued February day.

NINE GUESTS AT LUNCHEON

At luncheon at Government House yesterday nine guests were present, the table being centred with a bowl of daffodils. Princess Juliana wore a brown two-piece suit, with matching blouse, and light blue Dutch bonnet. Her accessories and fur coat were also brown. Mrs. Woodward wore a black crepe dress, with V-neckline, and strands of pearls.

Of medium height, Her Royal Highness has a gracious mien, and is a sweet-faced young woman with unusually light blue eyes and pale brown hair. Her Royal Highness bears a strong resemblance to her mother, H.M. Queen Wilhelmina. When speaking she is animated and gestures with her hands.

It is said of H.R.H. Juliana, Princess of the Netherlands, Princess of Orange-Nassau, Duchess of Mecklenburg, Princess of Lippe-Biesterfeld, "that of the various members of European royalty who have made their homes in North America since Hitler overran Europe, Juliana unquestionably is the most democratic. She lives simply and in freedom."

It is also reported her two eldest children, neither of whom has ever been called princess, attend public school. She is accessible to all callers. She drops in casually on friends and neighbors. She skis on neighboring slopes with her children. She holds open house any and every day of the week for members of the Dutch merchant marine, all 20,000 of whom are godfathers to her baby daughter, Margriet, born in Canada.

THE MARGRIET BROOCH

Yesterday when Her Royal Highness arrived she wore on her coat a "V" for Victory brooch, surmounted by a silver replica of the margriet, a white field daisy that flowers in Holland in May. One is told that the fields were white with daisies when the Nazis invaded the Low Countries, and Princess Juliana wears the margriet as a memorial to the Dutch people who have died under the Nazi oppression. The 20,000 merchant marine godfathers of Princess Margriet wear it on their uniforms.

The little pin has been sold for "The Princess Margriet Fond" for the sailors of the Dutch merchant marine.

Many of the Netherlanders who had gathered at the wharf to greet the Crown Princess wore the "lion pin" which is sold for Prince Bernhard Spitfire Fund.

PRESIDENT OF RED CROSS

Her Royal Highness is president of the Netherlands Red Cross, but as only the international Red Cross can work in occupied countries, there has been formed a London committee, of which she is president, and through this channel, and other branches in Canada her work in Canada and America is carried on.

It is reported that the Crown Princess' favorite contact with her homeland is the Dutch navy and merchant marine. Delegations of them call upon her regularly, and Her Royal Highness is said to feel keenly the plight of the homeless Dutchmen who wander the seven seas. Other seamen live in peril, but they have a home in port, and Princess Juliana feels the Dutch sailors have no such shore anchorage at present. The Netherlands troops now stationed in Ontario share in Her Royal Highness' interest. These Dutchmen, from all over the world, are often visited by their Princess. Many of these men have managed to escape from Holland. At Christmas Her Royal Highness sends cards of her own designing to every member of the Dutch armed forces.

Jubilee Hospital Aided by Shower

The sum of $438.70 was realized from the bridge tea and linen shower sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital held at the Nurses' Home yesterday afternoon.

Under the convenership of Mrs. H. A. Patterson the bridge tea netted $183.90, the linen shower in charge of Miss M. I. Curry and Mrs. E. E. Henderson brought $136.50 and the baby stall, managed by Mrs. O. D. Pfender and Mrs. H. G. S. Heisterman received $118.30.

More than 410 pieces of linen were received by the guests who numbered over 300. Tables of bridge, which numbered 54, at the Nurses' Home, were constantly in progress during the afternoon and many members played at their homes contributing to the gate receipts even though absent.

Mrs. John Phethean and Mrs. H. P. Rutter were in charge of the bridge reservations and tea was arranged by Mrs. G. Harris, Mrs. K. Mackenzie-Grieve, Mrs. V. L. Leigh, Mrs. Herbert J. Pendray, Mrs. W. C. Thackeray, Mrs. Thomas Milliet, Mrs. W. Luney, Mrs. G. H. Stevens, Mrs. E. Sheppard convened the silver bowl for the tea collection.

The entire proceeds will be used for the purchasing of linen for the hospital, as well as furnishings, equipment and supplies for the new maternity wing.

AGED AND INFIRM MEETING

A meeting of the committee of the Aged and Infirm Women's Home was held recently in the home. Mrs. W. L. Clay, the president, was in the chair. Members present: Mrs. G. A. Lister, Mrs. F. G. Ellis, Mrs. J. Tully, Mrs. D. Scott, Mrs. E. Cridge, Mrs. A. D. Whittier, Mrs. E. Bean, Mrs. D. C. Sabiston. Committee for the month: Mrs. J. Tully (convener), Mrs. A. D. Whittier and Mrs. H. Grant.

LONDON (CP).—Promotion to the rank of captain of a nephew of Earl Jellicoe, Cmdr. Christopher Jellicoe, has been announced by the Admiralty.

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Tomorrow evening the Rite of Confirmation will be administered by the Lord Bishop of the diocese at 7:30 o'clock. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 a.m., followed by the children's Eucharist at 9:45, when the Dean will give an address. The choral Eucharist will be celebrated at 11 o'clock, when the Dean will be the preacher. Members of the forces and their friends are cordially invited to be the guests of the A.Y.P.A. at a social hour in the Memorial Hall after the evening service.

ST. BARNABAS'

Services will be as follows: Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; choral Eucharist and sermon, 11 a.m., and Evensong and sermon, 7:30 p.m.

ST. MARY'S

The services at St. Mary's, Oak Bay, on Sunday will be celebration of Holy Communion at 8:30 a.m. and 12 noon; Matins and sermon at 11 a.m., and Evensong with sermon at 7 p.m. The rector, Archdeacon A. E. deL. Nunns, will preach both morning and evening. Short service for members of the Sunday school at 9:45 for the seniors and at 11 o'clock for the juniors.

ST. JOHN'S

Rev. George Biddle will be the preacher at both services. His topic for 11 a.m. is "God Will Hear," and at 7:30 p.m., "Sir, We Would See Jesus." Holy Communion at 8 a.m. This will be young people's corporate. Speaker at the breakfast following will be the rector. Sunday school at 11 a.m. Organ recital at 7:10 p.m. by Ian Galliford. All members of H.M. Forces and young people are invited to a Social Hour after the evening service.

James Island—Rev. W. N. Turner. Evening Prayer and sermon, 7:30.

St. Paul's, Esquimalt—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; choral Eucharist, 11 a.m., and Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m.

St. Augustine's, Deep Cove—Rev. H. H. Creal. Holy Communion, 9:45 a.m.

St. Mary's, Saanichton—Rev. W. N. Turner. Family service, 10:15 a.m.

St. Mary's, Metchosin—Rev. H. M. Bolton. Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

Holy Trinity, Sooke—Rev. H. M. Bolton. Evening Prayer, 3 p.m.

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields — Rev. K. L. Sandercock. Holy Communion 8 a.m.; Matins, 11 a.m.; Evensong 7:30 p.m.

View Royal, Four Mile House—Rev. K. L. Sandercock. Matins, 10 a.m.

St. Alban's—Archdeacon Collison. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and sermon, 11 a.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m.

St. Columba, Strawberry Vale—Rev. Canon H. V. Hitchcox. Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Evensong and sermon, 3 p.m.

Holy Trinity, Patricia Bay—Rev. H. H. Creal. Litany and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

St. Andrew's, Sidney—Rev. H. H. Creal. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m.; preacher, Rev. R. O. Mossop, R.A.F.

St. Mark's, Boleskine Road—Rev. O. L. Jull. Holy Communion, 8 and 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m.

St. George's, Cadboro Bay—Evensong, 7:30 p.m., Rev. Frederic Pike.

St. John's, Colwood—Rev. G. H. Greenhalgh. Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Rev. Frederic Pike. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins, 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7:30 p.m.

St. Matthias', Gonzales—Rev. E. G. Burges-Browne. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins, intercession and sermon, 11 a.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7:30 p.m.

St. Matthew's, Langford—Rev. G. H. Greenhalgh. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Evening Prayer and sermon, 7 p.m.

St. Michael's, Royal Oak—Rev. Canon H. V. Hitchcox. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; children's service and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

St. Saviour's, Victoria West—Rev. A. S. Lord. Choral Eucharist and sermon, 11 a.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m.; Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.

St. Stephen's, Mount Newton—Rev. W. N. Turner. Holy Communion and sermon, 11:30 a.m.

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CHURCH OF OUR LORD

The services of the Church of Our Lord on Sunday will be Holy Communion at 11 a.m. and Evening Prayer at 7:30 p.m. The preacher at both services will be Rev. T. H. Laundy. The subject in the morning will be the Epiphany, and in the evening St. Paul's instructions about making life happier for ourselves as well as for others.

British-Israel

VICTORIA ASSOCIATION

The Victoria British-Israel Association will hold a Bible study meeting in the lower hall, First Baptist Church, on Tuesday at 8 p.m., when "The Law for Today" will be studied and discussed. All welcome. Bring your Bibles.

MIDDLETON GUILD

"The British Throne and Empire" will be the subject of E. E. Richards' address on Monday at 8 o'clock in the Royal Bank Building, Fort and Cook Streets. Mr. Richards will also discuss the contrast of British and Spanish oranges and their bombs and General Montgomery's message of assurance to his troops preparatory to the great invasion.

United

FIRST

First United Church will celebrate its eighty-second anniversary on Sunday. Rev. W. W. McPherson, M.A., Th.D., of Oak Bay United Church, will preach at the morning service of worship. At the evening service, the minister will consider "The Gentleness of God." In the evening Dr. Hugh A. McLeod will preach, the subject being "What Does the Church Mean to Us Today?" A Fireside Hour will be held at the close of the evening service. Men and women in the forces, strangers and young people are invited.

METROPOLITAN

"The Soul's Quest" will be the subject of Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse at the morning worship, while his theme at the evening service will be entitled "The Best Is Yet to Be." The soloists for the day will be Mrs. G. McKay and Miss Grace Adams. A Fellowship Hour for men and women of the forces and young people will be held at the close of the evening service in the schoolroom.

ST. AIDAN'S

Rev. T. G. Griffiths will be the preacher for the day. In the morning he will speak on "The Blood of the Martyrs," while in the evening his sermon theme will be "Days of Our Years."

CENTENNIAL

At Centennial Church tomorrow at 11 a.m., Rev. H. W. Kerley, minister of Belmont United Church, will conduct the service, taking for his subject "Planning for the Future." At 7:30 p.m. the pastor, Rev. John Turner, will be the preacher. The soloists for the day will be Mrs. R. L. Hundleby, Mrs. A. H. Sheard and Mrs. G. O. Shantz.

OAK BAY

The guest speaker at Oak Bay on Sunday morning will be Rev. Dr. Hugh McLeod, minister of First United Church, who will speak on the topic "The Searching of God." At night at 7:30 o'clock, Rev. Dr. W. W. McPherson will give an illustrated talk on the church entitled "Ventures in Learning and Living." The soloists for the day will be Miss Mary Sinclair and Miss Etta Norman.

FAIRFIELD

"Shadows That Bless and Blight" will be the theme of Rev. William Allan's address at the morning worship, while in the evening he will discuss the subject "No Devotion Without Decision." The soloists will be Miss Margaret Husband and Robert Husband.

BELMONT

Rev. James Turner, pastor of Centennial United Church, will be the guest preacher in the morning, while at the evening worship Rev. H. W. Kerley will preach on "Leadership for Tomorrow." The Young People's Union will meet after the evening service and discuss the question, "What Kind of a Postwar World Do You Want?" Joyce Andrews will lead the discussion, and Douglas Bailey will conduct the devotional. The soloists will be Mrs. Youson and Miss Florence Smith.

Lutheran

GRACE

"You Can't Pay Workers That Much" will be the topic of Pastor Jansen at the morning service at 11 o'clock. At 7:30 p.m. his sermon theme will be "Righteous Selfishness."

Salvation Army

VICTORIA CITADEL CORPS

Major Milley (supervisor of the Red Shield centre) and the Red Shield staff will conduct meetings this week-end. Salvation Melodies will be heard Sunday morning over CJVI at 9:30 a.m. A holiness meeting will be held at 11 a.m. and a Salvation meeting at 7:30 p.m.

VICTORIA WEST CORPS

Captain and Mrs. Frank Pierce will lead meetings at 11 and 7:30 o'clock at the Catherine Street Hall.

CHURCH NOTICES

CHRISTADELPHIAN

Christadelphian, Orange Hall, Courtney Street. Morning service 11; lecture 7:30, subject, "The Hope of Israel." All welcome.

Christadelphian, Shrine Hall, View Street. Sunday morning at 11.

SALVATION ARMY

The Citadel Corps, 713 Johnson Street. Sunday, 11 and 7:30. Sunday school 3. Thursday and Saturday, 8 p.m. All are welcome. Major and Mrs. Allan McInnes.

Salvation Army, Victoria West Hall, Catherine and Edward Streets. Sunday 11 and 7:30. Sunday school 2:30. Thursday, 8. Captain and Mrs. Frank Pierce.

SPIRITUALIST

The First United Spiritualist Church, Sons of England Hall, 1216 Broad Street. 7:30 p.m. Power service. Miss Allan and Rev. Mr. Milne. Tuesday, 635 Fort Street, open circle.

At Open Door Spiritualist Church, 714 Cormorant Street. 7:30, trance address, Rev. Dr. Holder. Monday, 8:45, trance psychometry.

GOSPEL HALLS

Oaklands Gospel Hall, 2815 Cedar Hill Rd. Sunday, 11 a.m. worship the Lord's Supper; 3 p.m., Sunday school and Bible class; 7:30 p.m., Gospel service, speaker, Mr. G. T. Stewart, and L.A.C. Storer, R.A.F. Patricia Bay, followed by a testimonial service. Thursday, 2:30 p.m., Women's Gospel meeting; 8 p.m., informal evening Bible week. Friday, 8 p.m., Young people's meeting.

Bethesda, 1090 Oak Bay Avenue. Sunday, 11 a.m., The Lord's Supper; 3 p.m., Sunday school and Bible classes; 7 p.m., Gospel speaker, Mr. Ernest Potter. Wednesday, 7:45 p.m., prayer and Bible study. Friday, 7 p.m., children's lantern lecture.

LUTHERAN

Grace English Lutheran, Blanshard and Queens. Services Sundays, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday school, 10 a.m. Rev. T. A. Jansen.

Hope Lutheran Church. Services 11 a.m. Sunday school 10 a.m. Graham at Hillside. Rev. W. E. Deadine, B.D., pastor.

LATTER-DAY SAINTS

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (Mormon), 930 Fort Street. Sunday services, 10 a.m., 7:30 p.m. E 7161.

ANGLICAN

St. Mark's, Boleskine Road. Holy Communion at 8 and 11. Evensong at 7. Rev. Owen L. Jull.

Baptist

FIRST

"The Day and How to Use It" will be the subject of Rev. George A. Reynolds at the morning service, while in the evening he will consider "The Right Use of Time." The soloists for the day will be Mrs. John Meston and Miss H. Clyde. The Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the morning worship. There will be a Fellowship Hour for young people and men and women of the forces at the close of the evening service. The twilight recital will be held at 3 o'clock by the First United Church choir.

CENTRAL

"What Does It Mean to Receive Christ? The Way of Salvation Made Plain," is the first in Sunday evening series entitled "Our Glorious Lord," to be given in the Central Baptist Church, when the pastor, Dr. J. B. Rowell, will preach. The Lord's Supper will be observed and new members received. The message at the morning service will be "Jesus—Laughed to Scorn: Jesus—Triumphant."

EMMANUEL

At the morning hour of worship, the pastor, Rev. W. L. McKay, will preach on "Realizing Our Possibilities," and in the evening his subject will be "A World Vision." The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the evening service.

DOUGLAS

In the morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. F. W. McKinnon's message will be "A Living Sacrifice," while at the night worship at 7:30 o'clock he will discuss the theme "Stand Upon Thy Feet." The communion of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the morning service.

Other Denominations

TRUTH CENTRE

Rev. E. M. Smiley will speak tomorrow on the topic "So the Wall Was Finished," while in the evening her message will be entitled "The Future Is Coming to Pass." Ernest McGinnis will be the soloist at both services.

ABSOLUTE SCIENCE

The service will take place in the Campbell Building, when the theme for the morning worship will be "Where Is Your Vision?" In the evening at 8 o'clock, the message for meditation will be "Absolute Practice."

EMPIRE MINISTRY

E. E. Richards will give the address in the Crystal Garden on Sunday evening at 7:30. His subject will be "The Bible and the World Crisis," a special feature of which will be "Daniel's Time of the End—The Revelation of the Time Measures and the Present War." This subject is being given by special request.

EVANGELICAL

"France in Bible Prophecy" is the subject of the lecture repeated by request to be given in the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow night at 7:15 o'clock by Evangelist G. O. Adams. There will be choral music and community singing.

Presbyterian

ST. ANDREW'S

The sacrament of Baptism will be dispensed at the morning worship, when Rev. J. Lewis W. McLean will have as his sermon subject "We Must Obey God." At the evening service Mr. McLean will begin a series of studies on "The Protestant Faith," speaking on "The Christian's 'I.H.Q.'" A social Fellowship Hour will follow, and visitors and members of the forces particularly are invited to attend. The soloists for the day will be Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Mrs. F. W. Hawes, Mrs. J. H. Ratcliffe and Miss C. Paulin.

ST. PAUL'S

Morning and evening services on Sunday will be in charge of the minister, Rev. Walter Ross. The morning sermon topic will be "Aspiration," while subject in the evening will be "The Saving Influence of Hope."

KNOX, SOOKE

Rev. Duncan Munro, the minister, will conduct services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Spiritualist

FIRST

On Sunday at 7:30 p.m. a flower service will be held, when Mrs. Allan and Rev. E. Milne will be the message bearers.

OPEN DOOR

Rev. Dr. Walter Holder will give a trance address on the subject "The Whys of Spiritualism" at the service which will commence at 7:30 o'clock.

Christian Science

"Spirit" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist. The golden text is: "We through the Spirit wait for the hope of Righteousness by Faith" (Gal. v. 5).

Anglican Services

Christ Church Cathedral
SEPTUAGESIMA
HOLY COMMUNION—8 A.M.
CHILDREN'S EUCHARIST—9:45 A.M.
Address by the Dean
CHORAL EUCHARIST—11 A.M.
Preacher, The Dean
CONFIRMATION SERVICE
7:30 P.M.
Preacher, the Lord Bishop

ST. JOHN'S
Quadra, Near Pandora
Rev. George Biddle, L.Th., Rector
8 A.M.—Holy Communion
(Young People's Corporate)
11 A.M.—MORNING SERVICE AND COMMUNION
"GOD WILL HEAR"
7:30 P.M.
"SIR, WE WOULD SEE JESUS"
Preacher Both Services
THE RECTOR
7:10 P.M.—Organ Recital, Ian Galliford
Men and Women of H.M. Forces and Young People Invited to a Social Hour After the Evening Service

ST. SAVIOUR'S
Victoria West
SEPTUAGESIMA SUNDAY
11 A.M.—Choral Eucharist and Sermon
7 P.M.—Evensong and Sermon
9:45 A.M.—Sunday School
Alfred S. Lord, Incumbent

ST. MARY'S
Oak Bay
Holy Communion at 8:30 A.M. and 12 Noon
Matins and Sermon at 11 A.M.
Evensong With Sermon at 7 P.M.
Sunday School
Seniors at 9:45 Juniors at 11
Rector, Archdeacon A. E. deL. Nunns

The Church of Our Lord
FREE CHURCH OF ENGLAND
11 A.M.—Holy Communion and Sermon
7:30 P.M.—Evening Prayer and Sermon
Preacher at Both Services
REV. T. H. LAUNDY
Sunday School at 11 A.M.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Douglas Street at Broughton
Minister: Rev. J. L. W. McLean, M.A.
11 A.M.—"WE MUST OBEY GOD"
7:30 P.M.—First in Vital Series:
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CENTENNIAL UNITED CHURCH
Gorge Road, Near Government Street
11 A.M.—Rev. H. W. Kerley
"PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE"
7:30 P.M.—Rev. John Turner
Soloists: Mrs. R. L. Hundleby, Mrs. A. H. Sheard and Mrs. G. O. Shantz
Sunday School—9:45 A.M.

OAK BAY UNITED CHURCH
Mitchell and Granite Streets
11 A.M.—Dr. H. A. McLeod
"The Searching of God"
7:30 P.M.—"Ventures in Learning and Living" (Illustrated)
Minister, W. W. McPherson, M.A., D.Th.

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
Cor. Quadra Street and Balmoral Road
Rev. Hugh A. McLeod, M.A., D.D., Minister; Rev. F. W. Anderson, M.A., Visiting Pastor; Miss Pearl Willows, B.A., Deaconess
83rd ANNIVERSARY SERVICES
11 A.M.—"THE GENTLENESS OF GOD"
Rev. W. W. McPherson, M.A., D.Th., of Oak Bay United Church, Will Preach
7:30 P.M.—"WHAT DOES THE CHURCH MEAN TO US TODAY?"
Dr. Hugh A. McLeod Will Preach
A Fireside Hour will be held at the close of the evening service. Men and women in the services, strangers and young people are invited.

FAIRFIELD UNITED CHURCH
Five Points—Pastor: Rev. W. Allan
11 A.M. Subject: "Shadows That Bless and Blight"
Duet by Mr. R. and Miss M. Husband
7:30 P.M. Subject: "No Devotion Without Decision"
Anthem: "Pierce Way the Wild Billow" (Noble)
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METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH
Cor. Pandora Avenue and Quadra Street—Pastor: Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, B.D., D.D.
11 A.M.—"THE SOUL'S QUEST" 7:30 P.M.—"THE BEST IS YET TO BE"
Dr. Whitehouse Will Be the Preacher at Both Services
9:45 A.M.—Church School—Intermediate and Senior
11 A.M.—Church School—Juniors — Beginners — Primary
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11 A.M.
"THE CHURCH VICTORIOUS"
Lord's Supper and Reception of Members
7:30 P.M.—"THE SIN YOU LOVE"

Emmanuel Baptist Church
Rev. W. L. McKay, B.A., B.D., Pastor
11 A.M.—"REALIZING OUR POSSIBILITIES"
7:30 P.M.—"A WORLD VISION"
LORD'S SUPPER
Church School at 9:45 A.M.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. G. A. Reynolds, Minister
11 A.M.—"The Day and How to Use It"
The Lord's Supper
7 P.M.—Twilight Recital Given by Choir of First United Church
7:30 P.M.—"The Right Use of Time"
Fellowship Hour for Men and Women in the Forces

CENTRAL BAPTIST
Pandora Ave.
Pastor: J. B. ROWELL
All Welcome
11 A.M.—"JESUS—LAUGHED TO SCORN JESUS—TRIUMPHANT"
7:30 — Song Service at 7:15
"OUR GLORIOUS LORD: THE WAY OF SALVATION MADE PLAIN—WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO
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Sunday—7:30 P.M., "THE FUTURE IS COMING TO PASS"
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Tuesday—8 P.M., Young People's Society
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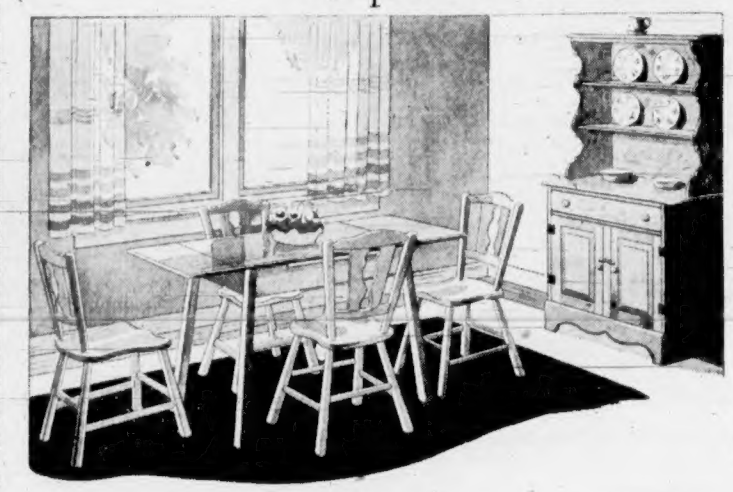

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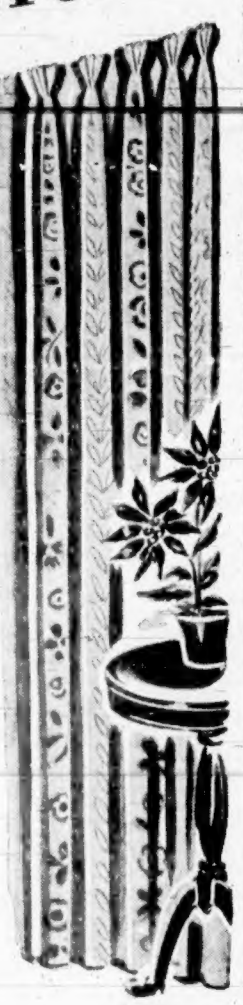

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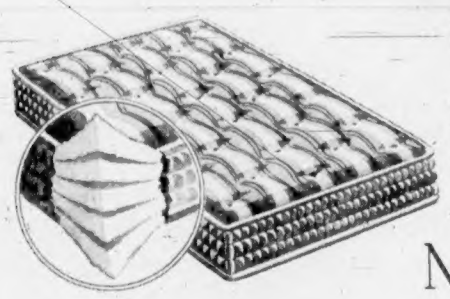

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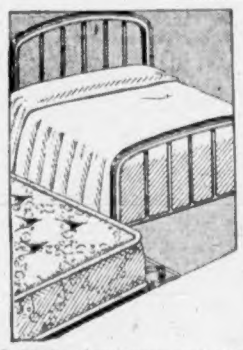

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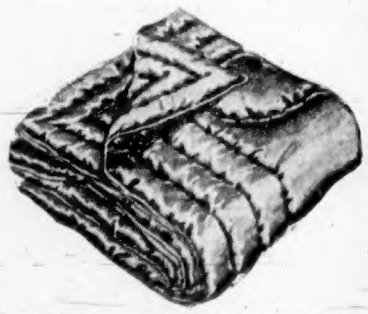

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AQUARIUS

If February 5 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., and from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., and from 10:30 p.m. until midnight.

Today it will be results—and only results, that will actualy count, so it will be well for you to put forth every effort possible to get them. There will be very few people in the mood for flattery today, so it might be well to forego it and endeavor to make your words and actions express sincerity. A sense of false security will be the primary cause of many people becoming extremely careless at just the time that they should be mentally alert, so take every precaution that this does not happen to you. This will prove to be a very difficult day in which to make up time lost through dilatory tactics, so if you are married, engaged, or courting it will be good judgment if you do not indulge in them.

If a woman and February 5 is your birthday, you may be able to attribute a great deal of your future success to your sense of justice, and the kindly attitude you maintain towards your business associates and subordinates. You are apt to be most considerate of other people's feelings and through your attitude towards them you should have no trouble in winning both their confidence and respect. You are, in all likelihood, amenable to kindness but rebel at the first signs of harshness. Through business management, teaching, writing, trained nursing, acting, singing, selling, war production work or the playing of a musical instrument, you may become quite an important and influential person. Through the machinations of Cupid you are apt to win one of his matrimonial prizes.

The child born on February 5 has, as a rule, an even disposition, an observant eye, and a remarkable amount of sagaciousness. Aquarius' children seem to instinctively know the thing to do under any and all circumstances, and it is largely due to this trait that they are generally very successful in all of their undertakings.

If a man and February 5 is your natal day you are probably a natural-born actor and can, in all likelihood, on almost any occasion step into a role and play it successfully. Self-confidence and poise are apt to be among your most invaluable assets. As a contractor, builder, promoter, inventor, financier, accountant, politician, jurist, doctor, journalist, educator, explorer, clergyman, business executive, musician, artist, actor, or through doing your part to bring defeat to your country's enemies, you may attain an important and lucrative position as a result of your achievements.

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CARDIAC MORTALITY HIGH

The leading cause of Canadian deaths for the past 15 years has been heart diseases.

Ordered Deported

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 4 (AP).—Owen Cathcart-Jones, former R.C.A.F. squadron leader, has been ordered deported, Albert Del Guercio, district director of immigration, announced today. The Government charged he overstayed his visitor's permit, on which he entered the United States in 1942 to be a technical adviser on a motion picture about the R.C.A.F.

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Glancing Over Sport—

By JOE DELAHUNTY

[illegible] on the limb last Saturday and sneaked back to firm footing with a batting average of .857, six wins out of seven so, there's no reason why he can't take another toehold at the plate today and continue the streak. Hold your seats, folks, for here's a flock of right ones for you.

R.A.F. VS. ARMY: This is the Cowichan Cup Rugby final at Macdonald Park this afternoon. Some of the soldier regulars will be missing, but they still can field a powerful fifteen. Army 21, R.A.F. 12.

V.M.D. VS. R.A.F.—Another important soccer match in the senior division at the Athletic Park. The Old Country lads are right at their peak these days and will take the points in my books. R.A.F. 6, V.M.D. 2.

VANCOUVER LAURIES VS. ARMY: The Mainlanders will be making their season's debut here in the Inter-City Basketball League at the High gym. The troops beat them at home last week by five points and will do it again tonight. Army 50, Lauries 32.

VARSITY VS. R.C.A.F.: Our Canadian hoop champions travel to Vancouver for this cage engagement. The Flyers had a narrow escape last week with the Combines, but still they have the scoring power to beat the students. Flyers 48, Varsity 30.

VICTORIA COLLEGE VS. OAK BAY HIGH: The High ruggers have the advantage on their record to date in the intermediate league. But here's some advice to the Oak Bay team—don't underestimate the strength of the Collegians this time out. Oak Bay 15, College 11.

CHICAGO VS. CANADIENS: What a battle this is going to be on the N.H.L. front. The Flying Frenchmen are coasting home to the league honors, but they're not letting up. The Hawks are coming along like a fire engine going to a three-alarm call, but this corner can't see them winning at Montreal. Canadiens 5, Chicago 2.

DETROIT VS. TORONTO: The sensational scoring punch of the Red Wings should bring them through against the Leafs in the Toronto Garden. Can't do anything with this game except predict a Detroit victory going away. Detroit 7, Toronto 3.

RANGERS VS. BOSTON: The way both these clubs have been behaving lately this is an even bet. With Bert Gardiner back in the Bruin net, Boston will trim Patrick's blueshirts. Boston 6, Rangers 4.

ODDS AND ENDS

When the Gremlins from the Pat Bay airport clash with Varsity cagers this evening the teams will be playing the feature game on "Hunk Henderson's basketball night" at the V.A.C. gym. Henderson played with Varsity when they won the Canadian title back in 1937 and now is a prisoner of war in Germany. The late Art Willoughby and Ran Mattison were members of that squad . . . Harlem Globe-Trotters, touring colored hoop wizards from Chicago, chalked up their 62nd straight victory the other night in Los Angeles at the expense of March Field, 38-37. It was a new record for Abe Saperstein's basketball magicians . . . "Red" Dutton's youngest (and last) son, who joined the Canadian Navy at 18, is playing hockey with a naval team at St. John's, Newfoundland. He was stationed at Esquimalt before being transferred to the East . . . Detroit's Murray Armstrong, a great favorite with the fans, received wrist watches as gifts on three successive weeks. He passed on the third one and insisted it go to the team's sensational young goal tender, Conny Dion . . . Do you know that there are 111 American League ball players in the United States Army, 67 in the navy, two in the Marine Corps, three in the R.C.A.F., and one, Charlie Keller, Yanks' great outfielder and hitter, in the merchant marine? . . . Canadian airmen interned in Sweden have formed a hockey team, borrow Swedish equipment and play whatever opposition can be furnished . . . Of boxing in California, Willie Ritchie, former boss of the lightweight division, and long a commissioner in Los Angeles, says: "It is the filthiest, dirtiest business I've ever seen." He's certain that many of the fights are fixed, including the ones Henry Armstrong engages in.

FROM HERE AND THERE

There are only four clubs left in the First Division soccer picture these days. It was announced yesterday that the Navy eleven were forced to drop out due to the drafting of several of their players. That leaves V.M.D., R.A.F., Army and R.C.A.F. in the running . . . Trev Harvey, one of Vancouver's finest footballers, will be basketballing tonight at the High gym against the Army. Harvey was the lad whom Aston Villa was after several years ago for halfback duty . . . Two days are in "Duffer" McCaghey's R.C.A.F. career his dad won't forget in a hurry. The young local athlete, who is reported missing after air operations over enemy territory, enlisted here on November 11, Armistice Day, and was reported missing on January 13, his birthday. We are all still hoping that "Duffer" will show up somewhere in the future . . . If you want to see some fun, action and unorthodox football, journey out to Bullen Park tomorrow afternoon and take a gander at the East Indians (Hindus) playing the Saanich Indians in a Second Division match. They will most likely be calling their plays in their native languages, but what they will be calling the referee, nobody will ever know; but the whistle tooter can get some idea by watching their expressions. Still he won't be able to prove a thing unless he carries two interpreters along to the game.

Hot Stove Loop Boils

Important Meeting Is Set for Today

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP).—Baseball's hot stove was blazing hot today in informal closed meetings as major and minor league officials converged on the big town to open a four-day session during which the sport's postwar future will be discussed.

Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis has called a meeting of the postwar committees of the majors and minors for 11 a.m. tomorrow. The National League will hold its schedule meeting Tuesday. It is possible the American League also will have a session early next week.

While the big boys are looking to the future, the International League will adopt its 1944 schedule of 154 games tomorrow. Landis and William G. Bramham, minor league head, held informal conferences throughout the day.

High on the calendar of the postwar planners is the problem of returning servicemen in conformance with the United States Government's desire that job, salary and seniority rights remain the same.

Many players from suspended leagues have been snapped up by operating circuits, with the result that some rosters are top-heavy with defence list talent, and many performers will not have the same employer, let alone the same job, when they return to civilian life. Landis may decide to declare all or some of these men "free agents."

Some action may be forthcoming on the player shortage situation. The waiver rule and June 15 trade deadline may be altered to make possible emergency shifts of talent.

The Boston Braves are the only club without a manager, and it is possible that a successor to Casey Stengel may be named before the boys head for home.

East Indians to Face S. Indians

Two matches will be held in the Second Division of the Victoria and District Football League tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. The game which will be drawing a large crowd is the long-awaited clash between the East Indians and the Saanich Indians, which is set for Bullen Park. The biggest turnout of the Sunday League is expected to head for the Esquimalt ground to watch the fun. At Heywood Avenue, R.A.F. and V.M.D. will battle it out in a match which should be close all the way.

R.A.F. will line up as follows: Moss, Culshaw, Brodie, Strutt, Burwell, Binnie, Parkinson, Harvey, Sanderson, McAuley and Willsea.

JOE TINKER IMPROVING

ORLANDO, Fla., Feb. 4 (AP).—Improvement in the condition of Joe Tinker today permitted physicans to remove the 63-year-old former baseball star from the oxygen tent in which he has been batting an aggravated case of influenza. It was emphasized, however, that the condition of the famous member of the Tinker-to-Evers-to-Chance double play combination must still be regarded as serious.

Faces Army Tonight

TREV HARVEY

Smooth-working guard with Vancouver Lauries, who will be on the back division for the visiting cagemen tonight at the High School gymnasium when they step on the court to tackle Victoria Army in an Inter-City League fixture. Harvey is well known in the city, having played a full season here with the V.M.D. soccer eleven before returning to the Mainland. Last week at V.A.C. gym the soldiers tripped up the Lauries by five points and therefore will be favored to turn the trick again, but the visitors are a determined club and may upset the dope bucket. In the preliminary game, West Road clashes with the Army in a senior "B" City League play-off, a sudden-death battle by the way, and it will start at 8 o'clock. The big game will get under way about 9 o'clock.

This Little Puck Didn't Make It—But Canadiens Won

The Puck Lies Lonely on the Ice at Madison Square Garden, New York, as Rangers' Ott Heller (3) Crosses Ray Getliffe (11) of Canadiens. Ranger Goalie Ken McAuley (1) Is on the Alert, Ready to Make a Save. This Action Took Place During Hockey Fray Between Rangers and Montreal Canadiens. The Canadiens Won the Game, 6-5.

Revolta Leading In $5,000 Tourney

Illinois Shotmaker Shoots Great 66 To Set Pace With Fine Putting Touch

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 4 (AP).—Johnny Revolta, of Evanston, Ill., playing the greens superbly, carded a five-under-par 66 to take a two-stroke lead today at the end of the first round of the 72-hole Phoenix Open Golf Tournament.

Two comparative newcomers in traveling pro ranks, Barney Clark, of Denver, and Les Kennedy, of Saylesville, R.I., were bracketed at 68.

Revolta, 32-year-old veteran of nine Winter golf tours, sank long putts on six holes for birdies. His puttnig reached its peak on the 17th, where he sank a 20-footer.

"I haven't done that well in years," Revolta beamed.

The putting greens, which Revolta found to his liking, upset the pros' Winter season leader, Harold (Jug) McSpaden, of Philadelphia, who came in with a three-over-par 74.

Craig Wood, of Mamaroneck, N.Y., United States open champion, registered a 69 for fourth.

Joe Kirkwood, of Philadelphia, playing a threesome with Revolta, had a one-over-par 72.

The nearly 60 amateurs in the meet were paced by Harry Todd, of Dallas, Tex., long-time leader in Western golf, who shot a par 71, and Ralph Wolf, of Monterey Park, Calif., who carded a 72.

Tony Penna, Dayton, O., W. A. Stackhouse, of Seguin, Tex., and Sammy Byrd, of Detroit, tied at 70.

Byron Nelson, Toledo, O., co-favorite with McSpaden at the start of the meet, stroked par 71, the same figure as posted by Ray Mangrum, of Los Angeles.

McSpaden, who won the rich Los Angeles Open and placed second to Nelson in the San Francisco Open, was the surprise of the day. He started out with nine pars and a birdie on the first ten holes, but "from the 11th hole on I coudn't do anything right," he explained.

Comets Win At Ladysmith

Bob Whyte's Girls Chalk Up Triumph

Coach Bob Whyte's Comets started out in quest of the Vancouver Island girls' intermediate "B" basketball championship on Thursday night when they went to Ladysmith and scored a 33-14 victory. The winners led all the way, being out in front at the end of the first quarter, 6-6, at halftime by a 10-2 score, and the third period ended in Victoria's favor, 18-8.

Thelma Whyte was high scorer for the Comets with an even dozen points opposite her name, while D. Bradshaw was next on the list with eight. Scoring for the home quintette was well divided with M. Davidson and A. Hunter tops with only two field goals apiece.

D. W. Gordon and Jean Cave refereed and teams follow:

Comets—L. McDonald 2, J. Bradshaw 4, D. Bradshaw 8, J. Robbins, E. Hunt 2, O. Mair 2, J. Cunningham 2, T. Whyte 12, M. Wallace 1.

Ladysmith—M. Davidson 4, M. Moore 2, A. Hunter 4, R. Wilson 2, M. Halme 2, S. Pollock, J. Whisker, M. Copp, E. Malamos.

Hockey's Big Seven

By The Canadian Press

Although 14 goals were scored Tuesday night when Detroit Red Wings thrashed New York Rangers 12-2, only one position—seventh place—changed ownership in the high-scoring list. Detroit Winger Joe Carveth got two assists to make a total of 47 points and force Elmer Lach, Canadiens, out of seventh place. Lach has 46 points. Other scoring leaders were idle.

Leaders	G.	A.	Pt.
Cain, Boston	29	27	56
L. Carr, Toronto	26	30	56
Cowley, Boston	19	33	52
Mosienko, Chicago	24	26	50
D. Bentley, Chicago	23	27	50
C. Smith, Chicago	15	33	48
Carveth, Detroit	16	31	47

Amateur Hockey Scores

O.H.A. Junior "A"—Brantford 4, Hamilton 3; Toronto St. Michaels 10, Stratford 2.

Exhibition (at North Bay)—Toronto Navy 4, Sudbury Frood Tigers 4 (tie).

ALL YESTERDAY'S ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

Sports Programme Set for Today

Here is today's sport menu for the fans:

ENGLISH RUGBY

Cowichan Cup Final

2:30—R.A.F. vs. Army, Macdonald Park.

Intermediate League

1:30—Victoria College vs. Oak Bay High, Macdonald Park.

FOOTBALL

First Division

2:30 — V.M.D. vs. R.A.F., Royal Athletic Park; referee, Paul King.

Juvenile League

1:30—Combines vs. Royals, Royal Athletic Park; referee, F. Tooby.

1:30—Victoria City vs. St. Louis College, Heywood Avenue; referee, H. Tooby.

BASKETBALL

High School Gymnasium

8:00—West Road vs. Army, senior "B" play-off game.

9:00—Vancouver Lauries vs. Victoria Army, Inter-City League.

N.H.L. Leaders

By The Canadian Press

Standing—Canadiens, won 23, lost 3, tied 6, points 52.

Points—Cain, Boston, 29 goals, 27 assists, 56 points; L. Carr, Toronto, 26 goals, 30 assists, 56 points.

Goals—Cain, Boston, 29.

Assists—Cowley, Boston, 33; C. Smith, Chicago, 33; O'Connor, Canadiens, 33.

Penalties—McMahon, Canadiens, 61 minutes.

Shutouts—Durnan, Canadiens, 2; Bibeault, Toronto, 2.

On R.A.F. Rearguard

L.A.C. GEORGE WITHAM

Right fullback for the Royal Air Force senior soccer squad and better known in camp and by the fans as the "Superman," who will team up with Braddock on the Flyers rearguard this afternoon at the Athletic Park when they tackle the Victoria Machinery Depot in an important First Division match at 2:30. Witham and Braddock form a strong defence in front of Goalie Cooke, as the shipbuilders' front line has found out more than once this season already. Both elevens will be at full strength, and a hard-checking, close battle should be witnessed by what should be a large crowd.

Hialeah Park Racing

HIALEAH PARK, Feb. 4.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Mile and one-quarter.
Star Cross (Brooks) ... $72.50 $19.20 $13.50
Rappaiamente (Balsereiti) ... 3.50 3.00
Calvert (Pratt) ... 8.20
Time, 2:08. Also ran: Tanganyika, Claimant, Flying Hostess, Panjab, Siren Winder, Still Gallant, Zouave, Uproarious, Haste On.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs.
Grace Tamin (Adams) ... $7.80 $4.80 $2.30
Five Duchess (McCreary) ... 6.10 4.10
Sarawak (Marchek) ... 3.70
Time, 1:15 3-5. Also ran: Speed Hoover, Valdina Charm, Maximond, Dolls House, Pasaan, Miss Freedom, Our Flare, Dick Richards.

THIRD RACE—Three furlongs.
Jamesina (Gorman) ... $5.20 $4.10 $3.00
Lea Flax (Adams) ... 7.30 2.80
Space (Pratt) ... 2.90
Time, :34. Also ran: Sweet Chimes, Treacdienne, Retaliation, Fire Falls, Naughty Vixen, Juno, Alphesio, Which Cup, Jonnea, Winter Bone, Nell A.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Lord Haleen (Adams) ... $10.30 $5.30 $3.90
Pacific Bale (Eads) ... 4.50 3.80
Refrain (Lindberg) ... 4.70
Time, 1:14 3-5. Also ran: Gun Flash, Endman, Weapons Pride, Jamesh, Jack Reaper, Dapp Darien, Fred Havecher, Crest Fallen, Dear Bridget.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Mettlesome (Brooks) ... $5.90 $3.70 $3.10
Reslips (Pratt) ... 7.00 4.40
Chicago Dr. (Arcaro) ... 4.20
Time, 1:13 2-5. Also ran: Swimming Hole, Clyde Tolson, Terse, Roman Sox.

SIXTH RACE—Seven furlongs.
Ancipital (McCreary) ... $12.50 $5.10 $4.50
Lord Bart (Pratt) ... 5.10 2.90
Robert F. (Critchfield) ... 2.50
Time, 1:26 4-5. Also ran: Reconciled, Major Rae, Route, Golden Fleece, Tidy Thing, Rangson, Little Doctor, Take Courage, Overtake.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth.
U.S. Salute (Atkinson) ... $3.10 $2.70 $2.30
Jacian (Brooks) ... 4.40 3.00
Patsy T. (Phelps) ... 2.60
Time, 1:54 4-5. Also ran: Cee Hat, Big Raid, Cavalrina.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth.
Bessie (Snyder) ... $7.10 $3.90 $2.80
Paragram (Permaine) ... 5.40 3.60
Merodach (Pratt) ... 2.50
Time, 1:53 1-5. Also ran: Hi Neighbor, Door York, Transfran, King of Castle, Shamokin.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Six and one-half furlongs.
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Liberty Flight ... 117
Briar Sharp ... 117
Bracos ... 114
Moonlite Bobby ... 112
Depi ... 105
Spare Room ... 105
Philleen ... 113
The Killer ... 114
Keeke ... 115
Count Daunt ... 112
Short Shrift ... 107
Cubanis ... 107
Thorim ... 117
Azimuth ... 114
Rose Red ... 109

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs.
Spangled Game ... 114
Ariel Legend ... 109
Swift Marine ... 120
Come Now ... 114
Roy G. ... 120
Change Here ... 114
Shined Up ... 120
Nibble ... 120
Hayai Tinty ... 120
Cactus Foot ... 120
Speed Streak ... 115
Ringaway ... 120
Ara's Girl ... 113
The Captain ... 120
Brottsville ... 109
Free Transit ... 113

THIRD RACE—Three furlongs.
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Bess Darling ... 117
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Bottle B ... 120
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FOURTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth.
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(A) Coronal ... 112
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FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.
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Grasshopper II ... 114
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Kanlan ... 110

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.
Rascal ... 114
Beautiful II ... 118
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Equinox ... 107
Kingfisher ... 106
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Bankrupt ... 106
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Coronal ... 114

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-half.
Turnbow ... 120
Key Ring ... 107
Boric No. ... 111
Farragut ... 117
Sudded ... 115
Snow Apple ... 108
Sweepslot ... 111
Rent A While ... 116
Fortunia ... 106
Welsh Anchor ... 107
(A) Screenin ... 110

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-half.
Equinox ... 108
Flamen ... 114
Stinging Bee ... 114
Arrow Rock ... 102
Restless ... 115
Mark ... 114
Alaflax ... 111
Moon Maiden ... 113
First post, 11:30 a.m.
Weather clear, track fast.

ARCADE BOWLING ALLEYS

CANADIAN LEGION FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Britannia—A. Brett, 847, H. Bowers, 827, J. Caldwell, 402, O. Church, 338, D. Clarke, 788, handicap, 63, Total, 3,275.
Fra Patria—H. Mayer, 434, A. McKirdy, 816, E. Hall, 160, O. Neil, 193, H. Gandy, 683, handicap, 131, Total, 3,007.
Naval Veterans—J. McRae, 851, W. Shoulder, 842, W. Holland, 388, A. Worth, 437, W. McRae, 633, W. Simpson, 163, handicap, 66, Total, 3,327.
Both team won one.

Three Favored for Widener Handicap

Bolingbroke, Eurasian and Sun Again Co-Favorites to Win $25,000 Race

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 4.—There's no guarantee that you could get any money down at the prices, even if you wanted to, but Bolingbroke, Eurasian and Sun Again are listed 4 to 1 co-favorites for the $25,000 Widener Handicap—a month ahead of the race.

The Hialeah Park press department put out an advance "line" on the mile and one-quarter handicap March 4, with the qualification that "the man who made it up sensed the apparent confusion in the big list of probables and made the cautious reservation that his odds will not hold true if the race should be split and run in two divisions."

Calumet Farm's Sun Again, Havahome Stable's Eurasian and Townsend B. Martin's Bolingbroke won favor because each seems to be training well for the trial.

Second choices, at 6 to 1, are top-weighted Princequillo, third-weighted Alsab and the dependable Marriage.

At 10 to 1 are Air Current, Copperman, Mioland, Navy and Pop's Pick, and the 15 to 1 group includes Equinox, Eye and Eye, First Fiddle, Four Freedoms, Poacher, Staretor and Bankrupt.

The 20 to 1 tag goes on Aletern, Alquest, Hollywood, Loveday, Last Bubble, Water Pearl and Waller. Argonne Woods and Hyperionion are considered 30 to 1 longshots.

Betting at Hialeah Park is more than $100,000 a day ahead of the track's previous biggest season and the attendance averages 2,500 less.

For the first 23 days of the current meeting, the daily pari mutuel handle has averaged $669,046, and the attendance 9,055. The 46-day average for the banner 1940 season was $563,649, and the attendance 11,564. In 1942 the figures were $520,185 and 10,435.

Dodds and Hulse Co-Favorites in Wanamaker Mile

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 (AP).—Two guys, Gil Dodds and Bill Hulse, who earned a lot of fame chasing other runners across the finish lines are the co-favorites in tomorrow night's Wanamaker Mile, traditional feature of the Millrose Games in Madison Square Garden.

Other starters are Don Burnham, collegiate mile king; Ross Hume, Michigan's Big Ten indoor champion, and a pair of light-footed freshmen, Dick Hall, of Princeton, and Rudy Simms, of N.Y.U.

Capitals Beat The Maroons

Skating through the opposing defence for a pair of goals in the second and final periods, Capitals took the points in the juvenile division in the Minor Hockey Association last night at the Willows Arena from the Maroons, 4-1.

After a scoreless first session, the Capitals went into the lead in the middle canto when Craven and Stephenson found the net in rapid succession, but Geber scored for the Maroons before the bell to make it 2-1 as the period ended. MacKay took a pass from Denoni to widen the Caps' lead, and just before the finish Denoni rapped home the final goal unassisted.

This evening two games are scheduled. At 7:30 the Capitals and Maroons meet in the midget division, and the same clubs take the ice an hour later in the bantam section. Tomorrow evening, the Royals clash with the Senators at 6 o'clock in the midget class, and the bantam fixture at 6:45 will see the Royals and Senators at it again. The game carded for Monday evening between the Royals and Capitals has been switched to Tuesday at 7 o'clock.

EXHIBITION GAME OFF

MONTREAL, Feb. 4 (CP).—Officials of Montreal Canadiens of the National Hockey League announced tonight that an exhibition game against Quebec Aces set next Sunday in Quebec, was "definitely off." Tommy Gorman, manager of the Canadian Arena Company, said that arrangements for the exhibition game had broken down over the question of referees.

Drops Close League Game

Champions Beaten By Cave Printing

The well-balanced Lewis' Shoe Store team, defending junior champions in the Victoria Table Tennis League, dropped a thrilling match to the leading Cave Printing squad in the feature of this week's competition. Leading most of the way, the shoemen were finally nosed out, 19-17, by the printers. Keith Olson, leading local junior, won eight games for the winners. Jim McKellar was best for the Lewis team, with six wins.

Spencer's Slashers downed the Capitols, 25-11, to take possession of second place, two points ahead of the Lewis' Shoe Store. Harold Knappett won six for the Capitols. The Barons, a new team in the local league, played their first match and showed up very well. They were defeated by the Black Hawks in an interesting match. Marg Ballard and Denny Pratt won seven each for the Hawks, while Stevenson won six for the losers.

TEAM STANDINGS

	W.	L.	D.	Pt.
Cave Printing	12	0	0	24
Spencer's Slashers	8	4	0	16
Lewis Shoe Store	7	4	0	14
Black Hawks	2	8	1	5
Capitols	2	9	1	5
Barons	0	1	0	0

LEADING PLAYERS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Keith Olson	94	2	.979
Doug Saurhern	75	21	.781
Stan Ngai	86	16	.778
Frank Schroeder	35	13	.729
Jim McKellar	58	22	.725
Harold Knappett	52	28	.650
Harry Down	49	31	.613
Reid (Spencers)	35	29	.525
Nancy Ley	42	38	.525

All juniors are reminded that next Wednesday's matches are postponed to allow play in the Victoria table tennis open championships. Entries for this tournament should be mailed to the Crystal Garden or to the tournament chairman, Vic Tully, 2816 Colquitz Avenue, G 1205, in order that the draw may be announced in Wednesday's Colonist. Tourney dates are Wednesday to Saturday, February 9 to 12, inclusive.

Carpet Bowling News

Results of matches in the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League are as follows:

Esquimalt 23, Willows Park 20.

Yarrows "A" 21, Willows Rangers 26.

Yarrows "B" 19, A.O.F. Sherwood 23.

A.O.F. Beadles 22, A.O.F. Robin Hood 16.

Willows Rangers 19, Esquimalt 6.

Next week's matches:

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203RD (RES.) FIELD BATTERY, R.C.A.

Orders by Major R. L. Challoner, M.C., officer commanding.

Duties for week ending February 12—Orderly officer, Lieut. R. C. J. Bacon; next for duty, Lieut. N. H. Grant.

Parades — Tuesday, February 8, Bay Street Armoury, 19:50 hours, battery parade; Thursday, February 10, Bay Street Armoury, 19:50 hours, N.C.O.'s M.T. School of Signals; Friday, February 11, Bay Street Armoury, 19:50 hours, officers and acks. Training as per syllabus. Dress, Tuesday, February 8, full marching order.

Muster Parade—Muster parade for this unit will be held in Bay Street Armoury at 20:00 hours on Tuesday, February 8. All ranks must attend this parade. Non-attendance will entail forfeiture of pay earned during the current year.

Kit Inspection—On Tuesday, February 8, all ranks will parade in full marching order, bringing all articles of clothing and equipment issued to them and listed on their clothing and equipment statements.

Repair of Boots, Ankle—Personnel with boots, ankle in need of repair will turn same into Q.M. stores before Tuesday of each week.

R. L. CHALLONER, Major.
Officer Commanding, 203rd (Res.) Field Battery, R.C.A.

3rd (RES.) BATTALION THE CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT (M.G.)

Orders by Lieut.-Col. F. B. J. Stephenson, Officer Commanding.

Duties—Orderly officer for the week ending February 12, 1944, Second Lieut. C. B. McIntosh; orderly N.C.O., L.-Cpl. E. R. Gandy.

Parades — Monday, February 7, morning parade, fall in at 09:30 hours. Dress, drill order. Evening parade: Companies will fall in at 19:45 hours. Dress, drill order with steel helmets. Wednesday, February 9, officers, N.C.O.'s and specialists will parade at 19:45 hours. Dress, drill order.

Notice—Members of the N.C.O. Class will return all pamphlets issued to them to C.S.M. Avery on Monday, February 7.

Committees—The officer commanding has been pleased to appoint the following committees: Regimental committee, Major R. B. B. Crombie, Capt. C. V. G. Pritchard, Second Lieut. T. L. Sturgess; audit committee, Capt. C. A. Gibbard, Lieut. R. M. B. Crawford; band committee, Second Lieut. J. F. Pryke, Second Lieut. T. M. Little; men's mess committee, Second Lieut. S. A. Digby, Second Lieut. G. D. Stephens, Second Lieut. R. W. Tervo; sergeants' mess committee, Second Lieut. A. Strugnell.

D. FYVIE, Capt. and Adjt.
For Officer Commanding, 3rd (Res.) Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment (M.G.).

NO. 1 (RES.) R.C.O.C. FORTRESS WORKSHOP (C.A.)

Orders by Major A. McFarlane, officer commanding.

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending February 12, 1944, Second Lieut. J. A. Davey; next for duty, Second Lieut. G. F. Green; orderly N.C.O., Cpl. E. Badminton.

Parades—Monday, February 7, No. 1 Armament Class, armourers class will parade at Armoury at 18:45 hours, dress, roll call order. Tuesday, February 8, morning parade at Armoury at 09:30 hours, dress, drill order; evening parade at Armoury at 19:45 hours, dress, drill order. Thursday, February 10, morning parade at Armoury at 09:30 hours, dress, drill order; evening parade at Armoury at 19:45 hours, dress, drill order. Friday, February 11, N.C.O.'s class will parade at Armoury at 19:30 hours, dress, drill order.

A. J. SAUNDERS, Lieut.
For officer commanding No. 1 Res. R.C.O.C. Fortress Workshop.

13th (RESERVE) FIELD AMBULANCE, R.C.A.M.C.

Orders by Major A. B. Nash, officer commanding.

Duties—For week ending February 12, 1944, orderly officer, Lieut. L. W. Cromwell, next for duty Lieut. V. L. Annett; orderly N.C.O., L.-Cpl. H. S. Edwards, next for duty L.-Cpl. W. H. Hayward.

Parades — Tuesday, February 8, Armoury 19:45 hours, officers, N.C.O.'s and specialists' class, dress, roll call order. Friday, February 11, Armoury 09:30 hours, morning class, dress, drill order with respirator at the sling position. Friday, February 11, Armoury 19:45 hours, evening parade, dress, drill order with respirator at the slung position. Training as per unit syllabus.

Security of Military Information—Attention of all ranks is drawn to the orders regarding security of military information posted on the unit notice board.

Recruits—New recruits are urgently needed to bring this unit and the R.C.A.S.C. attached up to full strength. Full particulars regarding terms of enlistment can be obtained at the unit orderly room, Bay Street Armoury, or by phone at E 2331.

11th (Reserve) Divisional R.C.A.S.C. (attached)

Parades—Some parades and dress as for 13th (Reserve) Field Ambulance, R.C.A.M.C. Training as per syllabus.

J. E. MOORE, Capt.
For officer commanding 13th (reserve) Field Ambulance R.C.A.M.C.

114th (INF.) RES. COMPANY, VETERANS GUARD OF CANADA

Orders by Major J. R. McIlree, D.S.O., officer commanding.

Duties—Orderly officer for the week ending February 13, Second Lieut. L. W. Cox; orderly N.C.O. K.503021 A.-Cpl. J. L. Adams.

Parades — Monday, February 7, company will parade at 19:45 hours, dress, drill order. Wednesday, February 9, officers, N.C.O.'s and specialists will parade at 20:00 hours, dress, drill order.

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For officer commanding 3rd (Res.) Bn., the Canadian Scottish Regt. (M.G.).

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REGINA, Feb. 4 (CP). — Regina Commandos moved into first place in the Southern Saskatchewan Junior Hockey League here tonight with a 6-2 win over Regina Navy.

Jack Willkie, with two, Larry Reardon, Rick Sandberg, Charlie Sanderson and George Beach scored for Commandos. Les Barrett and Tommy Hogan netted for Navy.

"QUIET, HOSPITAL ZONE"

PATCHOGUE, N.Y., Feb. 4 (AP).—A sign over the cafeteria of Patchogue High School today said "Quiet, Hospital Zone." It was put there because a nameless, part cocker spaniel dog wandered into school at 9 a.m. and settled herself under a stove in the cafeteria kitchen. At 10 a.m. the first pup was born. By 1 p.m. there were six pups. Mother and pups, now in a carton under the stove, are doing well.

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Orders by Lieut. N. Harwood for week ending Saturday, February 12, 1944:

Tuesday, February 8—The ship's company will parade at the High School at 14:30. Duty division, Rodney; officer of the watch, Sub-Lieut. N. Swainson; duty petty officer, P.O. Woodside; duty hands, O.S. Matheson and O.S. Milligan; quartermaster, O.S. Parker; bugler, O.S. Sinclair; signalman, O.S. G. Betts. Dress, uniform.

Thursday, February 10—As Tuesday, but negative uniforms.

Friday, February 11—The ship's company will parade at the High School at 19:15, duty hands at 19:00; as Tuesday. Training per syllabus.

Hockey Donations

Latest list of donations received by officials of the Minor Hockey Association is as follows: Pitzer & Nex, $5; Hawkes Service Station, $5; Manning Lumber Co., $10; Ritz Millinery, $5; Sausage Kitchen, $10; H. Taylor, $5; Grand Spot News Stand $3 (monthly); Paris Cafe, $5; anonymous, $1; Sports Club, $5; Tervo's Ladies' Apparel, $10; Pollard Construction, $10; anonymous, $20; Dominion Meat Market, $5; Terry's Drug Store, $30; anonymous, $1.

The association is still in need of more money to carry the youngsters through the season and the important play-off series in the first rounds against Nanaimo, the winners of which advance to the British Columbia play-downs.

JOEY PIRRONE WINS

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 4 (AP). — Joey Pirrone, of Cleveland, outpointed Gene Spencer tonight in a ten-round bout here. Pirrone weighed 136 1-2, Spencer 130.

VETERAN PUBLISHER DIES

CALGARY, Feb. 4 (CP).—C. W. and president and editor of The ern Printing and Lithographing Co. and president and editor of the Farm and Ranch Review since 1912, died at his home here tonight.

LONDON (CP).—The King has sent a subscription of £1,000 ($4,500) to the King Edward's Hospital Fund.

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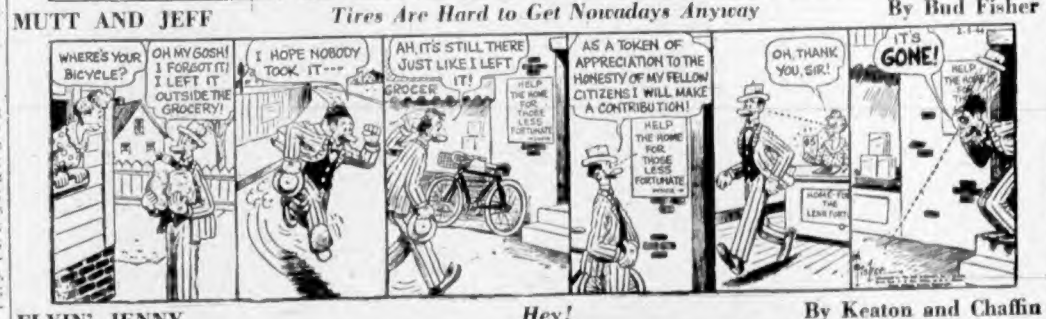

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Realtors Suggest Opening Streets

Urging that the Real Estate Board study improvements to the road system in the city of Victoria, H. D. Patterson, real estate manager of the Royal Trust, moved the appointment of a committee to cooperate with the city on postwar reconstruction, and was unanimously approved by the Real Estate Board at their luncheon held yesterday in Spencer's dining-room.

Mr. Patterson showed how roads and streets could be opened at comparatively small expense, thus saving valuable time and gas to motorists going through the city. Opening Gonzales Avenue from Rockland to Runnymede, and connecting Cook Street with Cedar Hill Road were two improvements he suggested. The speaker also said that if Finlayson Avenue were extended from Douglas Street to Shelbourne via the North Dairy Road, another through artery would be available.

Business men who had to travel from one district to another would find these improvements greatly to their advantage Mr. Patterson also warned that retail business in the downtown area would stagnate if transportation facilities were not improved.

President R. H. Shanks, Major H. Cuthbert Holmes and other members voiced similar opinions, and Mr. Shanks suggested that a resurvey of city properties was also necessary, since many buildings were not where they were supposed to be.

Alderman W. H. Davies stated that the city hall had much valuable information on the subject which would be made available to the committee.

Mr. Shanks reported that the custodian for Japanese properties had requested the appointment of valuators who could assess the value of property to be disposed of in the near future. Milton H. King recommended that two or more be named to act jointly so that the value fixed would be as fair as possible. Following the report of evaluators, which would be confidential, tenders will be called for in order to dispose of enemy-owned property. Mr. Shanks will make two appointments from among members of the board.

City Police Court

Pleading guilty to charges of taking a car without the consent of the owner, and stealing a camera, flashlight and glove, the property of John Wardroper, Pte. Roch Albert Randeau was remanded until today for sentence when he appeared in city police court yesterday.

Basil Harper was fined $25 and had his driver's licence suspended for one month when found guilty of dangerous driving. Charge followed an accident in which Harper and his little daughter were injured.

John L. Caldwell was fined $2.50 when he pleaded guilty to overloading his passenger vehicle contrary to a city by-law.

Six motorists paid fines amounting to $22.50 for traffic violations, and a citizen was assessed $2.50 and $1 costs for failing to procure a radio licence.

Appeal Court

Victoria Sittings

The court considered further arguments for adjournment in Rex vs. Fisher at the opening yesterday, and finally adjourned the appeal to February 16.

When the appeal was called Mr. Banton again renewed his application to have it transferred to Vancouver, advising the court he was not now instructed and that Gordon Wismer, K.C., had been retained by the appellant, but that Mr. Wismer was not able to proceed as he was at present engaged in a murder case at Vancouver.

P. J. Sinnott appeared and also advised the court Mr. Wismer had telephoned and asked him to appear and urge that the appeal be adjourned or transferred.

The court, after a short adjournment, ruled that the hearing should be made peremptory for February 16, and Mr. Justice Sloan, presiding, adjourned the court till that date.

House Committees Personnel Named

The following select standing committees were named by the Legislative Assembly yesterday afternoon:

Standing Orders and Private Bills—Messrs. Straith, Asseltine, Gillis, R. H. Carson, Mowat, Finland, R. C. MacDonald, Paton, H. E. Winch, Mrs. Steeves, Messrs. Lefeaux and Turner.

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SCOOTER FOUND

A pneumatic-tired child's scooter, found in some bushes by some Esquimalt children, was brought last night to city police station.

City and District

Overcoat Stolen — Theft of an overcoat valued at $65 was reported to city police yesterday by Harry G. Penman, 416 Central Building.

Overheated Stove—An overheated stove at 2851 Wyndeatt Street, gave Saanich firemen a run at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. There was no damage.

Beggar Sentenced — Entering a plea of guilty to a charge of begging, Charles Conley was sentenced to 15 days' imprisonment when he appeared before Magistrate Henry C. Hall in Saanich police court yesterday.

Seeks Victoria Support—Burnaby municipality is asking support of Victoria to an amendment of the Town Planning Act, in a letter received yesterday at the City Hall. Burnaby wishes the Provincial Government to establish and define regional areas, and make town planning obligatory.

Stolen Car Recovered—Reported stolen from Johnson Street Thursday morning, a car owned by L. Jones, 2716 Dewdney Street, was recovered yesterday at Port Alberni by British Columbia Provincial Police. Two naval ratings, said to have admitted taking the automobile, were arrested and brought to Victoria by city police.

Would Cut Out Liquor Scenes

Elimination of drinking scenes from films and more suitable Saturday afternoon films for children were recommended by the 18th annual meeting of the Victoria and Island Presbyterial of the Women's Missionary Society, United Church of Canada, in session in Victoria.

The society suggested immigration laws should be amended to permit anti-Nazi refugees to enter Canada.

Officers were named as follows: Mrs. Simon Fraser, honorary president; Mrs. W. J. Graham, past president; Mrs. W. H. Muncy, president; Mrs. A. Chisholm, first vice-president; Mrs. George Guy, second vice-president; Mrs. W. G. Wilson, third vice-president; Mrs. George Owens, fourth vice-president; Mrs. R. T. Wilson, fifth vice-president; Mrs. Hugh Allison, recording secretary; Mrs. M. Bishop, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. H. Laird, secretary.

Secretaries to committees and branch organizations were named as follows: Mrs. W. F. Perry, mission circles; Mrs. H. Thomson, C.G.I.T.; Mrs. A. Hughes, Mission Band and Baby Band; Mrs. S. H. Shaw, associate members; Mrs. J. D. Wilson, supply; Mrs. Shaw, assistant supply; Mrs. Allison, friendship; Mrs. H. T. Hunkin, literature; Mrs. W. E. Clothier, Missionary Monthly and World Friends; Mrs. A. Swainson, temperance; Mrs. W. B. Johnston, press; Miss Edith Hopkins, costumes; Mrs. P. W. Laing, library and special objects; and Mrs. F. R. Jewkes, Christian stewardship and finance.

Variety Show Visits Island Servicemen

The George Green Variety Show, under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A., gave concert parties to more than 1,700 members of the armed force last week-end on an Up-Island visit to Tofino and Ucluelet.

Bert White, comedian, offered Chinese impersonations and trick fiddle numbers which delighted his audiences. Others taking part were Art Stringer, baritone soloist; Miss June Freer, songs and dances; Miss Elaine Hart, soprano soloist; the Straubles and their magic, and George Green, trumpeter. Mrs. Green acted as accompanist.

Navy Band to Play For Service Folk

Royal Canadian Navy Band will present another concert for services personnel at the Royal Victoria Theatre Sunday night, under direction of Lieutenant-Commander H. G. Colbert and with Lieutenant F. C. Hardwick as master of ceremonies.

The programme will include March, "Stars and Stripes Forever" (Sousa); overture, "Grand American Fantasia"; ballad, "By the Waters of Minnetonka", selection, "Pan-Americans" (Victor Herbert), with selections by the band choir; selections, "Evolution of Dixie"; march, "American Patrol," and "Salute to Democracy." The band's dance orchestra will be featured in the second half of the programme.

N.H.A. Suites Too Expensive

National Housing Administration suites created under the Ottawa conversion plan are too expensive, too small and are being rented to the wrong people, according to Mrs. Paul Smith, chairman of the Women's Advisory Committee of W.P.T.B., who voiced criticism of [illegible] Vancouver, speaking in the Mainland city on Wednesday.

Mrs. Smith did not wish to condemn the whole scheme on the basis of the few projects completed, but, she stated, the administration may be forced to build larger suites and to consider priority rights of prospective tenants if the public demanded it.

"In Victoria the National Housing Administration is charging $45 a month for three-room suites, which is much too expensive. Rents should not run over $10 a room. On top of that, they are not being supplied hot water, and it is costing them another $10 a month to heat their own," Mrs. Smith declared.

On a recent trip to Ottawa, the speaker said, she had obtained assurances from the Prices Board that rents for N.H.A. suites would be cut, bringing them into line with other rents in the same community.

Industrial workers could not pay the price asked for the suites, which moreover, were too small for families.

Charging that business and professional people were given preference to industrial workers, as tenants, she said the N.H.A. being a permanent board had "an eye to getting its money back," and were seeking tenants who could pay high rents and would be permanent.

Criticize Wage Order, School Tax

Victoria's Chamber of Commerce will request that Ottawa delay enforcement of the new wage control order till all public bodies in the Dominion had opportunity to study it. Some of the directors criticized certain clauses in the act; J. V. Johnson, president of the chamber, said he would not criticize the Government policy till he knew more about the act, but he felt it should not be enforced till the organizations concerned had ample time to consider the new legislation.

The board of directors also discussed the resolution of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities which proposed that the Provincial Government take over costs of education and free the land from too heavy taxation. Major Cuthbert Holmes' report on the question was endorsed by the directors.

Construction projects for the transition period as proposed by R. W. Mayhew, M.P., were also discussed, and the board of directors declared themselves strongly in favor of supporting Mr. Mayhew in asking the Dominion Government to implement these plans.

Mr. Johnson said the Chamber of Commerce had long been in favor of these projects in the interests of the people of Victoria and all British Columbia. He asked that the directors back the member, since he was only "as strong as his support."

Kenneth Drury stated that both the rehabilitation committee of the chamber and the Federal advisory committee operating under Selective Service had endorsed the proposals.

Proposed construction includes completion of the Esquimalt drydocks, the Gorge-Esquimalt canal to open the upper part of the Gorge, building a western extension of the breakwater on the Outer Harbor, enlarging of the Outer Dock, development of a civilian airport near Patricia Bay for trans-ocean plane service, and reservation of another site for an inter-city airport.

Commenting on the new wage control order, Major H. Cuthbert Holmes said, "It is totally at variance with our concepts of British justice and its enforcement should be delayed."

"The most vicious act ever placed before the public," Walter Laney stated. J. N. Anderson considered it an attack on business as well as on labor.

Regarding the question of school costs, the directors were of the opinion that these should be assessed against income, as in some cases persons with large revenues owned no land and so escaped their share of taxation, while others owned low-revenue land and were forced to shoulder an unfair proportion of the education costs.

At the Theatres

ATLAS THEATRE Metro - Goldwyn - Mayer's latest motion picture in the "Maisie" series keeps in tune with the up-to-the-minute trend with "Swing Shift Maisie," starring Ann Sothern and James Craig, with Jean Rogers, Connie Gilchrist, John Qualen, Kay Medford and the Wiere Brothers in fine supporting roles. The picture ends tonight at the Atlas Theatre.

DOMINION THEATRE Martha Scott turned down five motion picture offers before she finally came to Hollywood to appear in "Our Town." She has come a long way since that time. Currently she plays opposite John Wayne in Republic's "In Old Oklahoma," based on Thomson Burtis' story, "War of the Wildcats," now showing at the Dominion Theatre.

CAPITOL THEATRE Olivia de Havilland and Robert Cummings head a royal recipe for romantic merriment in the new Warner Bros. production, "Princess O'Rourke," which ends tonight at the Capitol Theatre. With Charles Coburn, Jack Carson and Jane Wyman and a smart lot of supporting players the effervescent comedy is skillfully played for a steady succession of laughs.

OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES "Larceny With Music," which co-stars Allan Jones, Kitty Carlisle, Leo Carrillo and the Alvino Rey orchestra, has a gay collection of popular tunes in its score. The celebrated King Sisters are featured and the picture, which will end tonight at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres, was directed by Edward Lilley.

YORK THEATRE Versatile Cary Grant has added one more creation to the vast gallery of his screen portrayals, this time his role being that of a personable, attractive, clean-cut but hard-hitting gambler, in R.K.O. Radio's "Mr. Lucky," which ends tonight at the York Theatre. This performance is said to be just about tops for Cary.

CADET THEATRE Bringing to the screen for the first time the thrilling tale of how thousands of young Americans are trained to "drop the eggs" from Flying Fortresses, "Bombardier" co-stars Pat O'Brien and Randolph Scott in what is said to be the year's most exciting picture. The picture ends today at the Cadet Theatre.

Amusements

On the Screen

Atlas—"Swing Shift Maisie," starring Anne Sothern.

Cadet—Pat O'Brien and Randolph Scott in "Bombardier."

Capitol—"Princess O'Rourke," featuring Olivia de Havilland and Robert Cummings.

Dominion—John Wayne and Martha Scott in "In Old Oklahoma."

Oak Bay and Plaza—"Larceny With Music," starring Allan Jones and Kitty Carlisle.

Rio—"Smart Guy," starring Rick Vallin.

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Provincial Conservative Association to Meet

A meeting of the Victoria Provincial Progressive Conservative Association will be held in the association rooms, 738 Fort Street, on Wednesday evening next, February 9. Considerable business will be before the meeting. All Progressive Conservatives are invited to attend.

Injuries Slight in Crash in Saanich

Mrs. Raymond M. Bentley, Conway Road, Saanich, went through the windshield of her husband's truck in a collision yesterday, Saanich police report, but after treatment of minor head injuries she was soon released from St. Joseph's Hospital.

The accident occurred at 6:10 p.m. on a curve on Burnside Road near the Canadian National Railways crossing. Police said that a car driven by Leslie Dicks, Dunsterville Road, going north, went into a skid on the wet road, apparently when the driver swerved to avoid a woman with a baby buggy.

The right side of the car met the front of the truck in a crash that residents said was heard half a mile away. Mr. Dicks also suffered only facial cuts, but police said that a person seated beside him would have been seriously hurt, or killed. The right side of the car and front of the truck were considerably damaged.

Mrs. Bentley's escape from serious injury was considered miraculous. Constables Jack Hamilton and Victor Smith, who attended, had seen persons killed in vehicles less damaged.

The road surface was wet, Constable Hamilton said. After skidding into the truck's path the car came to rest in the ditch.

A. E. Wilson, 731 Burnside Road, passing in his car, took Mrs. Bentley and Mr. Dicks to hospital. Mr. Bentley did not need treatment.

Ottawa Replies "Unsatisfactory"

Victoria Local of the National Union of Machinists, Fitters and Helpers received reports Friday night that replies of Prime Minister Mackenzie King and Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, Minister of Labor, to telegrams protesting the Wartime Wages Control Order, had been "very unsatisfactory." Members were urged to attend the public meeting at the Royal Victoria Theatre Sunday to register their opposition to the order.

A rehabilitation committee composed of Mr. Howard, Mr. Taggart, Mr. Harrison, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Baldwin, Mr. Yerex and Miss McLeod and Miss Fano, to act in conjunction with other rehabilitation committees set up by the different trades locals, was elected.

The offer of the Workers' Educational Association to supply literature and articles for the use of the machinists' educational committee was accepted and the secretary was instructed to notify the head office in Toronto to this effect.

New executive for 1944 will be Harry Hayes, president; Fred Gray, vice-president; W. Ashworth, secretary-treasurer; William Harrison and Henry A. Davis.

Cars Suffer Damage On Cadboro Bay Road

Cars driven by Thomas Nugent, Cadboro Bay, and Captain William Ellis, 3021 Beach Drive, suffered damage when they were in collision at about 4:45 p.m. yesterday on Cadboro Bay Road, Oak Bay police report.

Nugent's car, turning left into Uplands Service Station, was struck in the rear right fender by Captain Ellis, which sustained damage in front, police said.

Committee Approves Sidewalk Projects

Public works committee yesterday approved sidewalk projects advanced by G. M. Irwin, city engineer, costing $480, and will submit the matter to the City Council for ratification Monday.

The recommendation call for making 460 feet of crushed rock sidewalk on the east side of Rudge Street between Pembroke and Denman Streets at a cost of $300, and 300 feet of sidewalk on the south side of Vista Heights from Graham to Prior Streets.

Alderman Ed Williams is chairman of the committee.

CAR STOLEN AT DUNCAN

A Ford sedan owned by Jack Hickie was stolen from Duncan yesterday evening, Provincial Police reported.

FACES MURDER CHARGE

VANCOUVER, Feb. 4 (CP).—Charged with murdering his wife December 4, Robert Logan was committed for trial today following preliminary hearing before Magistrate H. S. Wood. Mrs. Logan's slashed body was found in a rooming-house where she and her husband lived during their six weeks of marriage.

Announcements

The Wishbone — Douglas and Courtney, open 11:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Excellent meals.

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2 DEATHS

ALLNUTT — There passed away at his residence, 3011 Scott Street, on February 3, 1944, Thomas Delabere Lea Allnutt, aged 82 years; born in England and had resided in Victoria for the past 35 years. He is survived by his widow, Martha; one brother, Harry, and one sister, Mrs. C. Anderson, of Victoria; also a sister in Australia and one in England. Funeral services will be held at McCall Bros. Floral Funeral Chapel on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. T. H. Laundy officiating. Interment at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BANKS — There passed away February 2, 1944, in this city, Edwin Banks, of 1151 May Street, at the age of 87 years. The late Mr. Banks was born at Nottingham, England, and moved to this city one year ago from Edmonton. He is survived by his widow, Mary, at the residence, May Street; three daughters, Mrs. H. Johnson, in England, Mrs. J. Walker, Edmonton, and Mrs. E. R. Stead, Detroit; also four sons, Harold, Max Street, Albert, with the R.C.O.C., Victoria, Ernest, with the R.C.N.V.R., and W. Edwin, in New York. Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, Rev. F. Chilton will officiate, and interment will take place in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

DAVIS — Word has been received in Victoria that P/O Edward Addy Davis, R.C.A.F., was killed on active service overseas on January 30, 1944. His wife, the former June Burns, and son Richard, reside at 1036 Cranbermeik Road. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Davis, reside at 916 McClure Street, and his sister, Mrs. J. A. Bruce, in Vancouver.

LAURU — There passed away at Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Monday, January 31, 1944, Charles Henri Lauru, of Patricia Farm, Sidney. Funeral services conducted by Rev. Bruce Taylor were held at Royal Oak Cemetery Chapel on Wednesday, attended by immediate friends and relatives and the household and farm staffs. Cremation followed.

THORNETT — The funeral service for Walter Stanley Thornett was held on Monday afternoon, January 31, 1944, at McCall Bros. Chapel, which was filled to capacity. Major C. F. Milligan of the Salvation Army officiated, assisted by Major R. McCaughey and Capt. F. Pierce. The congregational hymns sung were "Shall We Gather at the River" and "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder." Mrs. Ivy Gold sang the solo "Some Day We'll Understand." The casket was covered with wreaths of beautiful flowers, and the pallbearers were Frank Jones, Cyril Trimes, Archie Borthwick, Reilly Roberts, William Glover and George Shinnie. At Colwood Cemetery the graveside service was completed with a ceremonial conducted by Capital City Lodge of the Knights of Pythias.

3 MARRIAGES

DAVIES-JONES — The marriage is announced of Helen Allen Jones, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones, Anglesey, Wales, to Meth Davies, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. Davies, South Wales. The wedding took place in St. Aidan's Church, February 1, 1944, at 8 p.m. Rev. T. G. Griffiths performed the ceremony.

4 CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere gratitude to all those who have so willingly taken part in watching for our dear son and grandson, Kenneth, and to all those who have expressed sympathy and helped in every way in our deep sorrow.
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CANARY TEA TO AID WAR EFFORT. Wednesday, February 9. Twenty registered roller canaries will entertain you. Tea cup reading. Singing canary contest, prize. I.O.O.F. Hall.

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QUIET, FURNISHED APARTMENT TO rent; no children. $45. Phone B 1274.

54 FLATS AND APARTMENTS WANTED

A SELF-CONTAINED FLAT — THREE rooms, March 1. Phone B 1797, after 5 p.m.

COUPLE, NO CHILDREN, WANT FURnished suite, including bedding and dishes, before February 12. Esquimalt, or close in. Box 4350, Colonist.

C.P.O. AND WIFE, WITH BABY, WISH self-contained, furnished suite. Phone G 2238.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, heated, modern, three-room suite wanted before May 1. No children. Will pay up to $60 a month. B 1924, from 9 till 5.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED THREE-room suite, with bath, for couple with nine-month-old baby, by February 15 or March 1. Phone G 1953.

FURNISHED MODERN SUITE, APARTment or small bungalow by officer and wife. No children. Phone Room 2 after 5 p.m. G 8168.

PRACTITIONER WANTS UNFURNISHED, self-contained suite. Quietness and phone essential. B 2644 or G 6172.

WANTED — Furnished or Unfurnished housekeeping suite. Box 3631, Colonist.

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

Out-of-town subscribers who wish to answer advertisements in which only the telephone number of the advertiser is given may mail their replies to The Colonist and The Colonist will communicate such replies to the advertiser.

54 FLATS AND APARTMENTS WANTED
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TWO BUSINESS WOMEN WANT THREEroom, unfurnished, self-contained apartment, close in, reasonable. Box 4385, Colonist.

THREE-ROOMED SUITE WANTED BY couple on or near Quadra Street. Phone Room 242, Dominion Hotel.

URGENTLY NEEDED—TWO OR THREEroomed furnished or unfurnished suite by man and wife. In Esquimalt or close to town. G 2842.

55 HOUSES TO RENT

McILWAINE BROS.' TRANSFER, LTD. —Furniture and piano moving, long distance removals, heavy hauling. 1213 Wharf. E 9341.

55A FURNISHED

FULLY-FURNISHED, MODERN, FOURroom bungalow. View Royal. Box 4325, Colonist.

FIVE-ROOM FURNISHED HOUSE, waterfront, View Royal. $80. E 7174.

55B UNFURNISHED

HEANEY'S (EST'D 1890) — MOVING, packing, storage. Phone G 1194. Let us explain our service.

ISLAND HIGHWAY, NEAR GOLDstream, house of three rooms, including cook stove. Rent $15. Phone G 7741.

56 TO RENT—WAREHOUSES

GROUND FLOOR, 56 FT. FRONT, 84 FT. deep, with mezzanine floor. Good for store or general warehouse. Also two floors for storage with elevator. 9,400 square feet. Apply 527 Yates.

57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

OFFICER'S WIFE WITH CHILD WISHES to rent small furnished or unfurnished cottage for duration. G 7860.

URGENT — 5 OR 6-ROOMED HOUSE. Permanent. References. Apply Box 3451, Colonist.

57A FURNISHED

QUIET NAVAL COUPLE, DAUGHTER 4, urgently need small house. Box 4451, Colonist.

57B UNFURNISHED

UNFURNISHED HOUSE BY PERmanent businessman. Two adults, no children. Best of reference.

Phone Arnold Bryant, superintendent's office, Hudson's Bay Company. E 7111.

COUPLE WITH CHILD URGENTLY need house or apartment. Box 3925, Colonist.

FOUR OR FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE wanted by April 30. Permanent residents. References. Phone E 8498.

FIVE OR SIX-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, not later than April 30. Permanent residents. Adults only. Trained forester, fond of gardening. Phone G 4389 or write 3644 Thompson Avenue.

NAVAL OFFICER WITH FAMILY REquires six-room unfurnished house, Fairfield or Oak Bay. Box 3247, Colonist.

OAK BAY—RELIABLE FAMILY WOULD like to rent 5 or 6-room bungalow permanently. References. Box 4446, Colonist.

TO AVOID EVICTION APRIL 30 MUST have 5-roomed unfurnished house. Will pay up to $30 per month and will sign lease, with option to buy, for suitable house. Permanent residents. Have good references. E 9202.

WANTED—THREE TO FIVE-ROOMED house, reasonable for two adults, by March 1. Close in. Permanent residents. Seven years' reference from last landlord. Box 3356, Colonist.

WANTED to Rent, 5 or 6-Roomed House, close in, Fairfield or James Bay; careful tenants, adults, 8½ years in present house; refences given. Box 3770, Colonist.

WILL PAY SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE for six or seven-room house. G 7797.

$15 REWARD INFORMATION REgarding unfurnished three or four-roomed house Fairfield, James Bay district. Careful tenants. Box 4109, Colonist.

$10 REWARD FOR FOUR OR FIVEroomed house, unfurnished, for first of March, April or earlier. E 2885 or 2311 Shakespeare.

4 OR FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE WANTED—Gorge or vicinity preferred, unfurnished; adults, references. Box 4297, Colonist.

65 AUTOMOBILES

A FENDER AND PAINT REPAIR JOB expertly done at MOONEY'S BODY SHOP
814 Cormorant Street. Phone E 5612

ALL AUTO REPAIRS WITH GENUINE G-M parts. Body and fender work, painting, welding, simonizing, electrical work, motor tune-up. Latest equipment, trained personnel. Wilson & Cabelda, Ltd., 925 Yates. E 1107.

65A FOR SALE

1932
DODGE CONVERTIBLE
COUPE
$425
A REAL SPORTY CAR

ALSO —

1930 CHEVROLET COACH	$195
1930 FORD COUPE	$250
1931 ESSEX COUPE	$275

NATIONAL MOTOR CO., LTD.
819 Yates Street. Phone G 8177

AUTO SALES FINANCED—H. W. MILLER & Co. 1210 Broad Street.

ENGINE RECONDITIONING SPECIALists—Get our prices. Complete job reborе, install pistons, pins, rings. New-engine performance. Easy on gas and oil. CHET DOWMAN GARAGE—724 JOHNSON.

FOR SALE—1935 CHRYSLER. GOOD rubber (two new tires). Call after 5 at 2844 Prior Street.

WE PAY CASH FOR USED CARS

SEE US FOR REPAIRS TO ALL MAKES. Genuine parts for Willys and Hupmobile cars. Batteries, Anti-freeze, Tires and tubes vulcanized.

MASTERS MOTOR CO., LTD.
815 View Street. Phone E 3341

WILL TRADE FOR LOWER-PRICED CAR 1936 HUDSON SEDAN

THIS CAR IS IN EXCEPTIONAL CONDITION. DRIVEN A VERY LOW MILEAGE BY ONLY ONE OWNER. PERFECT TIRES.

JAMESON MOTORS LTD.
740 BROUGHTON ST.

1934 TERRAPLANE COUPE	$375
1931 Ford Sedan Delivery	$195
1930 Auburn Sedan. Very good motor	$75
1928 Paige Sedan	$110
1932 Ford Cabriolet. Good buy	$275

Wanted, Model "A" Ford Busy End.

YATES STREET AUTO SALES
948 Yates St.
We Pay Cash for Used Cars or Sell on Consignment

CASH FOR YOUR CAR OR TRUCK

WANTED — 1941 OR 1942 CHRYSLER Sedan, De Soto or Dodge.

BEGG MOTOR COMPANY, LTD.
845 Yates Street
Now on Display—New Dodge and Fargo Two-Ton Trucks

1929 ESSEX SEDAN—RUNNING ORder, new paint, also good trailer, use same size tires, ball hitch. Both for $150, or sell separately. 2282 Wicklow St.

65 AUTOMOBILES
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PRIVATELY OWNED CARS
1932 CHEVROLET COACH
1930 CHRYSLER SEDAN
1929 FORD COACH
1928 GRAHAM COACH
1942 GENERAL MOTORS CUSTOM CAR RADIO (NEW).
PHILCO CAR RADIO $35
Have Customer Who Will Pay Cash for Late-Model Coupe or Sedan.
SHELL SERVICE
1700 Quadra Street. E 8197

USED TRUCK.
1931 DODGE 1½-TON FLATdeck body, dual6, 30 x 5, good tires.
$295
WILSON & C. BEL. LTD.
925 Yates. E 1107
"We Buy Used Cars for Cash"

TIRES—TUBES
VULCANIZED
First-Class Work—Quick Service
Recommended by Leading Victoria Automobile Firms
HORWOOD BROS.
Service Station and Garage
Corner Yates and Quadra. Empire 4021

WE PAY CASH
FOR CARS
DAVIS-DRAKE MOTORS, LTD.
Buick and Pontiac Cars—G.M.C. Trucks
Fort Street at Quadra—Phone G 8134
Associate Dealer: Waldie Motors, Duncan

AUTOMOBILE FINANCING
Conditional Sale Agreements Discounted
Rates Reasonable. Quick Decisions
ISLAND FINANCES, LTD.
1113 Broad Street. G 7171

MUST SELL — 1937 CHRYSLER ROYAL sedan. Perfect condition throughout. Phone E 4717.

PACKARD "EIGHT" — GOOD CONDItion. My price $300. What offers? B 1990.

1938 HUDSON SEDAN, $675. 1936 Austin "10," $425. 1932 Chevrolet coupe, $120. Harley-Davidson motorcycle—what offer? 1936 Willys sedan, 1934 Terraplane sedan, $275. Ford touring, good rubber, $195. Phone G 2646.

1934 BUICK CUSTOM-BUILT CONvertible cabriolet; radio, leather upholstery, six-wheel equipment; excellent condition; mechanically perfect; $800 cash. May be seen from Friday, 5 p.m., to Sunday, 4 p.m. Phone G 6388.

1932 BUICK "EIGHT" SEDAN—EXcellent prewar tires, accessories, mechanically perfect. $350. Phone E 9727.

1931 STUDEBAKER SEDAN — GOOD condition, heater, with or without radio. Consider cheaper car. E 5094.

1937 LINCOLN ZEPHER COUPE, $795. Phone E 7348.
Can be made into five-passenger.

1929 NASH SEDAN—NEW PAINT, new top, good tires; excellent condition. Phone E 8023.

1937 HALF-TON REO PICK-UP—EXcellent light delivery truck; $500. 613 Herald Street.

1930 CHRYSLER SEDAN — GOOD tires, heater, etc., $150, as is. E 9046, evenings.

$325 — AUSTIN "7." GOOD CONDItion, excellent leather. Box 4310, Colonist.

1927 CHEVROLET COACH — TIRES fair. Best offer. 838 Broughton Street.

1929 FORD COACH, $175. GOOD condition. Apply 145 Michigan Street.

1935 OLDSMOBILE SEDAN—HEATER. Good condition. Phone B 3040.

1937 LINCOLN ZEPHYR SEDAN—Good tires. G 7998.

1936 DODGE, HEATER AND RADIO. 736 Roderick Street.

65B WANTED

WILL PAY CASH FOR USED CARS
JONES BROS. USED CARS
Cor. Quadra and Johnson. E 8623

AUTOMOBILES WANTED FOR CASH. Masters Motor Co., Ltd. Phone E 3541.

CASH WAITING FOR DAMAGED, frozen or burned cars and trucks for wrecking, no delay, best prices. W. Frank Cameron Auto Parts, 853 View Street. Phone E 8632.

CASH FOR YOUR CAR FOR WRECKING, any condition. Cameron Bros. Auto Salvage, 1340 Craigflower Road. E 6598.

LADY WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE coupe, 1938 or later, for cash. Must have good tires. G 4701.

WANTED—1940-41 BUICK OR CHRYsler Royal sedan in good condition. Phone E 9715.

WANTED—CAR, LATE MODEL, PREFER coupe. Cash if suitable. E 1836.

ALL MAKES OF CARS WANTED
ANDERSON'S GARAGE
727 Johnson Street. Phone G 6424

1939 '42 MEDIUM-WEIGHT CAR — Cash deal. State particulars to Box 4322, Colonist.

67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

ANCHORS, CHAINS, SHACKLES, MOORing buoys and Manila rope. Ship Chandlery (McQuade's), Ltd.

CAMERON BROS. HEADQUARTERS FOR marine conversions and propellers. 1340 Craigflower Road. E 6598.

FOR SALE—CABIN CRUISER, 32 FEET. Wilby's Machine Shop, Montreal and Quebec.

GORGE BOATHOUSE — PHONE B 3043 "The Winter Anchorage."

WANTED — GOOD CABIN CRUISER, over 25 feet. E 8155. Box 4419, Colonist.

WHY PAY RENT?—AN OPPORTUNITY to enjoy life. 35-ft. cruiser, with comfortable living accommodations, in first-class shape. Monthly revenue less than $5. Full price only $1,950. Only genuine inquiries considered. Phone G 3443.

WILL PAY CASH FOR CANOE IN GOOD condition. Phone G 4489.

74 TIMBER BROKERS

WANTED — DOUGLAS FIR TIMBER, suitable for ties. Box 3802, Colonist.

75 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FUEL BUSINESS FOR SALE, GOING concern, including two trucks and option on approximately 1,000 cords of standing timber; 15,000 worth of orders. Box 4291, Colonist.

FOR SALE—BUTCHER BUSINESS, GOing concern, good returns. Reason for quick sale. Phone E 3432.

GOOD DUPLEX — 2 SELF-CONTAINED 4-room suites, upper furnished, rent set, $40, close to town; immediate possession for lower; $1,800 handled, balance monthly. Price $4,850. Phone B 3373.

WANTED TO LEASE—AUTO CAMP OR small hotel, by middle-aged experienced couple. Box 3068, Colonist.

WANTED — SUITABLE SPACE FOR poultroom; basement preferred (central). E 5662.

50-BARREL FLOUR MILL, WILL CONsider house in Victoria. C. Fish, Cowessess, Sask.

1200 ITEMS—1200 BLOCK—DIGGON'S.

50 MODERN MUSHROOM SHEDS FOR rent very cheap. G 2765.

75C HOTELS, APARTMENTS, ROOMING HOUSES

APARTMENT BLOCK, DOWN-TOWN area. Good revenue. $18,500 for quick sale. 324 Sechlard Building.

BOARDING HOUSE BUSINESS FOR sale, close in. Full house. Good revenue. Terms. Box 3402, Colonist.

27 ROOMS AND SEVEN BATHROOMS in suites; good revenue producer, showing 26 per cent net. Price $11,000. Box 3797, Colonist.

76 EXCHANGE—REAL ESTATE

FOR EXCHANGE — TWO LOTS, BURnaby, California, the model by city, big airplane works near, one block from Warner Studios; zoned business, benefit prewar for improvement; cannot leave Canada. Will exchange for Victoria property. Owner, 470 Linklea Ave., Victoria.

77 LISTINGS CANCELED

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE—1939 CATHarine Street is off the market.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE

SHAWNIGAN LAKE

CLOSE TO BUT NOT ON LAKE — NEW 3-room bungalow. Full cement basement. Double garage. Full plumbing, water, electric light. Living-room 16 x 14, kitchen 9 x 14, 2 or 3 bedrooms, 24 ft. wired. One-third acre. Taxes $20. This property worth at least $2,750. Owner must sell. Terms. Price $2250

ESQUIMALT WAY

BUNGALOW OF SEVEN ROOMS AND one acre, all newly decorated. Full plumbing; garage; chicken house. Excellent soil. A real opportunity for home and acreage. Close in. Low taxes. $1,000 cash. Price $2250

ESQUIMALT—VIEW PROPERTY

DELIGHTFUL, NEARLY-NEW, 4-ROOM, white cedar-siding bungalow. Really large living-room, master bedroom; den with fireplace, lovely kitchen, cove ceilings. Exceptionally well built. Good location. $1,500 cash. Price $3650

FAIRFIELD

SITUATED IN ONE OF FAIRFIELD'S best locations. A home of distinction for the discriminating buyer. Six rooms, sun porch and large entrance hall, double plumbing. Semi-bungalow type. Automatic hot-water heating. Hardwood floors. Open fireplace in living-room. Faces south. Nice view. Gas on. Full basement. Garage. Lovely garden; lawns, shrbs, etc. Minimum upkeep. Perfect condition throughout. $2,000 cash. Terms. Price $5950

H. G. DALBY & CO., LTD.
634 View. Empire 6241
Evenings: E 7832

HIGH PANORAMIC VIEW

ON THE GROUND FLOOR: THE sunroom off the living-room has large windows. A splendid view also from the dining-room and library. Has a bright kitchen with large breakfast nook and a three-piece bathroom. Upstairs: Three nice bedrooms with separate dressing-room and a powder room. There is a full basement with a hot-water heating plant. Three lots with rock gardens and flowers. A concrete driveway. All this within 1½ mile circle and immediate possession for $4500

No Phone Information
Exclusive Listing

BOORMAN INVESTMENT CO., LTD.
313 Central Building. E 2132

IMMEDIATE
POSSESSION
SEVEN ROOMS AND BATHROOM

A WELL-BUILT HOME in a good location, with a nice garden, basement, furnace, laundry tubs, extra toilet, gas, entrance hall, central hall, light floors, French doors. Completely redecorated, in spotless condition; near schools, street cars, etc., east part of Victoria. You can move in at once.

PRICE $4500 TERMS
One-Third Cash, Balance Monthly
"Inspection by Appointment"

I. M. ROSEVEAR & CO., LTD.
110 Union Bldg., 612 View St. G 6941

PRODUCTIVE NUT AND FRUIT FARM

TEN ACRES, MOST OF WHICH IS RICH, deep, black soil, nine cultivated. Approx. 100 filbert nut trees, 12 walnut, family orchard, loganberry and raspberry plantation. Modern residence of six rooms, open fireplace, three-piece bathroom, automatic electric pump, water from registered spring. Late owner made this a highly productive property but since death it has been neglected. A practical man will soon bring it back. Executors of estate will sacrifice for $7,000 on terms, or $6,500 cash.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.
1216 Broad Street. Phone G 7341

HIGH LOCATION — WELL-BUILT SIXroom residence, completely renovated throughout. Three large bedrooms, basement and furnace. Nice residential location. Early possession. Price on terms $4500

CHOICE PROPERTY—FIVE ROOMS, large garden lot in shrubs, flowers and shade trees. Secluded location near transportation. Low taxes. A desirable home. To close an estate $5250

A. S. MILLER
1309 Blanshard Street. Empire 6822

OAK BAY—IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW, HARDwood floors, open fireplace, furnace, garage. Close to beach and school. $6000

NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW — FIVE rooms, hardwood floors in living and dining-rooms, open fireplace, basement, furnace, garage. Nice treed lot. $4500

RALPH H. WILSON
208 Pemberton Bldg. Phone E 9612

NEAR JUBILEE HOSPITAL

NINE-ROOM HOUSE WITH TWO BATHrooms, all spacious rooms, furnace heated. This house is not new, but is in excellent condition. Very fine pleasant garden. Price $3000

JOHN GREENWOOD—1241 BROAD ST.

$5000—DUPLEX. GOOD LOCATION, close to cars and bus. Redecorated. Income takes care of payments. $2,000 down.

LUMBY
Pemberton Bldg. Phone B 1121

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE ON RICHMOND —Large kitchen, bathroom, open fireplace; five bedrooms; cement basement; gas installed. Price $3,500. Box 2741, Colonist.

FIVE-ROOM FURNISHED BUNGALOW within one-mile circle, close to high school, street car and bus. Immediate possession of three rooms. Phone E 5898.

FOR SALE—SIX-ROOM HOUSE IN TEN by hundred block, Burdett. Equipped for housekeeping rooms. Gives owner two-room suite, plus $40 per month clear after all expenses are paid. Price, including furniture, $2,700 cash. Write advertiser, 3536 West 16th, Vancouver, B.C.

FOR SALE — DESIRABLE COUNTRY residence, Royal Oak district, large living-room with open fireplace, kitchen, dining-room, two bedrooms and bathroom and sunporch, downstairs; two bedrooms, bookroom and bathroom upstairs, basement with hot-air furnace, 11 acres with chicken house, barn and nice pasture. Good wood supply on property. Nice lawns and trees around house. Price $7,500. Immediate possession. Inquire Mrs. M. Hansone, Colquitz RFW.

EARLY POSSESSION — FIVE-ROOM stucco bungalow, one-mile circle, completely furnished and recently redecorated inside and out. Hardwood floors sitting-room and dining-room. Tiled sink, three-piece Pembroke bathroom. Furnace and garage. Price $4,500, half cash, balance monthly. Phone E 8888.

"OWNER OCCUPIED" — 3-ROOMED home, 3 bedrooms, large living-room and kitchen, plenty of cupboard space, 3-piece bath, separate garage and woodshed; 2 lots, nice shade trees, plenty of room for gardening; 5 minutes from City Hall, close to school and store. Taxes approximately $60. Not new home, but well built and in lovely shape. $1,800 cash, balance $700 to sub. Early occupancy. Box 2902, Colonist.

OAK BAY, NEW FIVE-ROOM STUCCO, oak floors, inlaid lino, Pembroke bath, tile sink, high basement, piped furnace, built-in features; ready to occupy; $6,000. Phone E 5644.

SAANICH BUNGALOW, CAREY ROAD. Phone E 9826.

5-ROOM STUCCO HOUSE, GOOD CONdition, furnished, cement basement, furnace, garage; nice garden. Or rent. Vacant. E 3468 after 5 p.m.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE
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SAANICH — NEAR NEW FOUR-ROOM stucco bungalow. Living-room, open fireplace, two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom (Pembroke), kitchen. Full cement basement, furnace. Garage. Wired for electric range. Fruit trees. Immediate possession. Ask to see this, then make us an offer. Must be sold to settle an estate.

CITY — SIX-ROOM HOME. LIVINGroom, open fireplace, dining-room, separate toilet, kitchen, abundance of cupboards. A beautiful home with a peerless view of city, sea and mountains. Exquisite garden, lawns, ornamental trees, fish ponds, flower beds, rockeries. Absolute seclusion. Price $3900

OAK BAY — NEW 6-ROOM STUCCO -semi-bungalow. Hardwood floors throughout. Modern in every detail. Price $6750

EDWARD SPENCER & CO.
208 Scollard Bldg. Phone E 6724

NEAR SIDNEY AND AIRPORT

THREE-ROOM COTTAGE, FULLY FURnished, half-acre of land in full cultivation. Large living-room with fireplace, very cosy kitchen and pantry, bathroom and one bedroom. Full plumbing, with electric light and water. A wonderful sea view. Located just off highway. Price $2100 —A Little Less for Cash

LANGLEY REALTY COMPANY
312 Central Building. E 5035

WITHIN 5-MILE CIRCLE, ¾ ACRE FOR sale. Two small houses, outbuildings. Price $425 cash. E 5555.

ESQUIMALT—SCOOP!

$2200 CASH, BALANCE ASSUME—Lovely nearly new 4-room stucco bungalow. Entrance hall, hardwood floor, fireplace, nice kitchen, tile sink, new inlaid lino, plenty cupboards, 2 good-sized bedrooms; garage. Taxes $54. Possession February 15. One block to car, bus. This is special value. By appointment. Price $3150

OFF HIGH QUADRA

FIVE NICE ROOMS, STUCCO BUNGAlow. Hardwood floors, fireplace, kitchen has tile sink, Pembroke bath; cement basement, furnace, tubs; garage for two cars; two lots; taxes 145. Quick possession. Price $3950

CYRIL BUHLIN
708 Bank of Toronto Bldg. E 1832

GREENING OAK BAY BUNGALOW

$5500—I AM PLEASED TO OFFER this lovely home comprising entrance hall, large living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with nook, two nice bedrooms, Pembroke bathroom; hardwood floors, Venetian blinds, full cement basement; hot-water heating; trim lawns, garage. All in spotless condition, and veritably a dream home. Early possession. Shown by appointment only.—For sale exclusively by

FRANK W. TAYLOR
601 Central Bldg. Phones: E 9831, G 1886

8-ROOM HOUSE, WITH FOUR LARGE lots, on Hillside Avenue; $2,700. E 9283.

1200 ITEMS—1200 BLOCK—DIGGON'S.

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE—MODERN, IN good condition. Empress Avenue. Cement basement, furnace, laundry tubs, open fireplace, garage. $3,500. E 9810.

IMMEDIATE possession—Six-room semi-bungalow. A1 condition; new plumbing; basement, furnace, etc. G 2187, after 5 p.m.

$5450—OAK BAY, SOUTH OF AVenue on bus line. Six-room bungalow, five down, one large finished room upstairs; oak floors, living-room, dining-room and hall; 4-piece bathroom, pedestal basin, Pembroke bath, tiled sink; basement, garage, tubs. Quick possession. No agents. B 3035.

$1800 OR NEAREST OFFER BUYS house, four rooms and bathroom, basement and chicken house, lot 120 x 60, off Burnside. Home evenings and week-days. Phone B 1736, after 5 p.m. Owner-occupied. Vacate, thirty days.

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

A PRIVATE PARTY WILL BUY MEdium-sized furnished home; consider house needing repairs. Cash. Box 3228, Colonist.

ALL CASH FOR 4 OR 5-ROOM BUNGAlow. Particulars to Box 3818, Colonist.

CASH FOR FOUR OR FIVE-ROOM modern bungalow; basement preferred. See A. Olsen, White Owl Taxi. B 3233.

DO YOU WANT QUICK ACTION ON the sale of your home? Phone G 8109. George Randall, 1303 Douglas Street.

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT—3 OR 6-ROOM home, up to $4,500 cash. Box 3079, Colonist.

ELDERLY COUPLE WANT BUY SMALL Saanich home. Box 3608, Colonist.

HIGH LOCATION—SIX-ROOM BUNGAlow. Full particulars. Box 3064, Colonist.

HELP YOUR FELLOWMAN, OUR MANY buyers can use your listings. Cyril Buhlin. E 1832.

IS YOUR HOME FOR SALE? LIST WITH old-established firm. H. G. Dalby & Co., Ltd., 634 View. E 6241.

WANT FOUR AND FIVE-ROOM BUNgalows in $2,500 to $3,500 range. Have clients waiting with good cash payments.

LUMBY
Pemberton Bldg. Phone B 1121

WANTED TO RENT, OPTION BUYING, three-room cottage, small acreage and chicken house; two adults. Box 3998, Colonist.

WANTED TO BUY FOR CASH—FOUR or five-room modern bungalow, near Beacon Hill. Apply Box 4434, Colonist.

WANTED TO BUY SMALL HOME FOR permanent residence. Box 3929, Colonist.

WANT TO BUY FROM OWNER—SMALL house, any condition. Box 4445, Colonist.

WANTED — HOUSE IN ESQUIMALT, around $2,000 cash. Box 3056, Colonist.

WILL PAY CASH FOR MODERN BUNgalow on about half acre, two or three-mile circle, direct from owner. Box 4276, Colonist.

$5000 CASH—3-ROOM BUNGALOW. Oak Bay or Uplands. Box 3818, Colonist.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

THIS PROPERTY ADAPTED TO

A Motor Camp, with central building and cottages—
A Convalescent Home—
A Medical Clinic—
A Psychopathic Institution—

Situate on Gorge Road with frontage on the Gorge waters. It comprises over four acres of grounds with cottage of five rooms at the gate; a fine driveway to the residence, a substantially built brick building of fourteen rooms with hardwood floors, heated by a hot water furnace fuelled by automatic oil burner. The gardens comprise spacious rolling lawns, shrubberies, two tennis courts and an orchard, dotted here and there by ornamental and native trees. There is a lovely forest grove between the house and the Gorge waters, and the frontage here is over 300 feet. A city street end touches this part of the property making it easy to open it up for subdivision if thought advisable. Taxes on the whole property are only $434. Reasonably early possession can be arranged.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
1202 Government Street
Phones: E 4126, E 3180

BUY NOW, BUILD LATER. ATTRACTIVE large, fine homesite, 270x70, little wood; light, water—bus transportation; $400 cash. For particulars, phone E 4225.

GORDON HEAD, 2½ ACRES, FIVEroomed house, cement basement, woodshed, chicken houses and garage. City light, water and phone. Berries, fruit trees and bulbs. $4,250. Owner, Box 3433, Colonist.

PIECE OF PROPERTY SUITABLE FOR nube—or nursery, in most thickly populated part of Oak Bay. Phone E 0903.

TWO-ROOM COTTAGE TO BE MOVED to next lot. Sell both for $375. 941 Jasmine Avenue, Mackrodt near Grange Road.

GOOD LIVING TO BE MADE HERE

$1200—WITH BEAUTIFUL VIEW, five splendid acres, of which four are under cultivation; in strawberries, raspberries, loganberries, grass, 30 fruit trees. Small house and bachelor's cabin in rather poor repair; also garage and small chicken house. Excellent well; light available. Only nine miles from Victoria. A real snap.

FRANK W. TAYLOR
601 Central Bldg. Phones: E 9831, E 3401

3 LOTS, CLOSE IN, GOOD TRANSPORTATION; paved road. Phone E 7558.

81 PROPERTY WANTED

GORDON HEAD PROPERTY OWNERS! —We have several genuine inquiries for property in this district. They range from small homes with one lot to larger properties with some acreage. We will be pleased to inspect your holdings if you desire to dispose of them. Phone the King Realty, 718 View Street. B 7131-2.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

NINE-ACRE FARM, FIVE-ROOM HOUSE. 361 Sidney, B.C.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

PRODUCTIVE FARM OF 88 ACRES with 40 under cultivation, with good fences; four acres in full-bearing fruit trees. Good barn for 20 head with modern fixtures. Dwelling of seven rooms. Abundant water supply for all purposes. Situated close to Island Highway with unobstructed ocean view. Advancing years of owner only reason for selling. Price $8,000. Fleming Gardiner & Co., 1207 Douglas Street. Phone G 7741.

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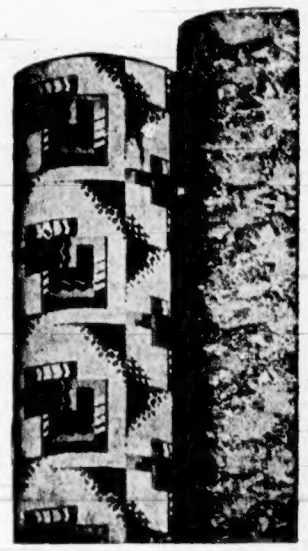
A time-saving, durable floor covering that will keep its good-looking appearance for many years. Looks smart, whether it is used in the kitchen or bedrooms and keeps clean with hardly any time or effort. Genuine inlaid on a felt foundation . . . pleasant mottled designs. Width, 6 feet.



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